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ABSTRACT

This statistical profile provides current demographic data for Washington State and its counties, incorporated cities and towns. Seventeen tables show population by age and sex; population for counties, incorporated cities and towns, and the state; components of population change; a rank order of total persons in incorporated cities and towns; total persons in incorporated cities and towns by alphabetical order; housing units by structure type; annexations, incorporations, and municipal boundary changes; change in population, housing units, and land area; growth of households; adjusted estimates of the population 65 years and older; population estimates by Bureau of Census racial categories and for Spanish origin; institutional residents; armed forces personnel; components of change for the state; general fertility rate; marriages and divorces; and state and county population estimates and forecasts. The state population has increased from 4,132,156 in 1980 to 4,565,000 in 1988. Sixty-six percent of the growth since 1980 resulted from natural increase, or more births than deaths. About 33% of the increase in state residents, 144,000 persons, can be attributed to net migration. The total incorporated area has increased by 118 square miles in the past 8 years bringing the current incorporated land area to more than 1,115 square miles. The number of Washington households in 1988 (1,787,836) reflects a growth rate of 2.0% as compared to the population growth rate of 1.3% since 1980. Migration plays a major role in state growth as does the increase in nonmanufacturing jobs. Employment growth in the state is expected to be slower but more stable. (ALL)

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Preface

Population Trends provides current demographic data for the state, counties and incorporated cities and towns.

The 1988 incorporated city and town population determinations presented in Table 2 will be used in the allocation of state revenue sharing beginning January 1989 (RCW 43.62.030). The 1988 estimates of population in unincorporated areas will be used to allocate liquor profits to counties beginning September 1988 (RCW 66.08.200) and liquor excise tax revenue beginning October 1988 (RCW 82.08.170).

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April 1, 1988 State Population Estimate

Almost all of the state, county and municipal population figures presented in this publication are estimates. The figures are developed as accurately as possible from standard and tested techniques. The methods used to develop the state, county and city population estimates differ due to the availability of data.

On April 1, 1988, the total number of persons estimated to reside in the state of Washington was 4,565,000. This estimate is developed by a component method. Population change for persons under the age of 65 is determined by natural increase (births minus deaths) since the last census and net migration developed from school enrollment data. Medicare enrollment is used to estimate the number of persons 65 years old and over. The approximate error in the state estimate is 1 to 2 percent.

In Figure 1, the total state population, at the time of the federal census and at the time of the 1988 estimate, is detailed by age and sex. Many state programs and policies are developed for groups of persons who can be identified by their age and sex. The age by sex composition of the state's population is essential information to analysts responsible for the funding of such programs.

The population determinations recorded in Table 1 were calculated for use in the allocation of state revenues. The table also provides a record of determinations used for revenue purposes since 1980. Unless otherwise noted, the figures have not been corrected or revised subsequent to their official publication.

Three methods are used to develop estimates of persons residing in the counties. The two primary methods are the component method, described above, and the ratio-correlation method. Ratio-correlation is a regression technique that relates population change to change in one or more sets of symptomatic data. The current equation uses school enrollment, registered voters, automobile registrations and wage and salary employment. The housing unit method (discussed below for municipal estimates) is used as a supplemental technique. The average absolute error in the county estimates is between 3 and 4 percent.

Some of the 1988 population determinations are current census counts. Most, however, are estimates which represent an update of the most recent census. For instance, the 1987 figure of 19,830 for the city of Puyallup, in Pierce County, represents the city's growth since 1980, not 1986. Lynnwood, in Snohomish County, took a 1984 census. Its 1987 estimate of 24,260 is calculated from the 1984 base of 23,139.

The population estimates are generally driven by the reported change in housing stock since the census. The occupancy and population per occupied housing unit are derived from the census report. These factors are used in the calculation. However, more current information regarding the occupancy rate is often available. If it is both verifiable and reliable, it will be used. If the situation warrants, population per unit will be updated based on the trend observed since a prior census. No attempt is made to correct entries retrospectively. Comparisons between estimates made in successive years may not be valid, and may be misleading. However, with the exercise of due caution, the trend indicated by several years of estimates should be informative.

Table 2 is an important table for the analysis of population change throughout the state. The figures presented for the state and the counties have been corrected or revised where subsequent information has become available. Births and inmigration contribute to population increase, while deaths and outmigration produce population decline. Births and deaths for the state and each county are recorded in the table. These data are actual counts through the end

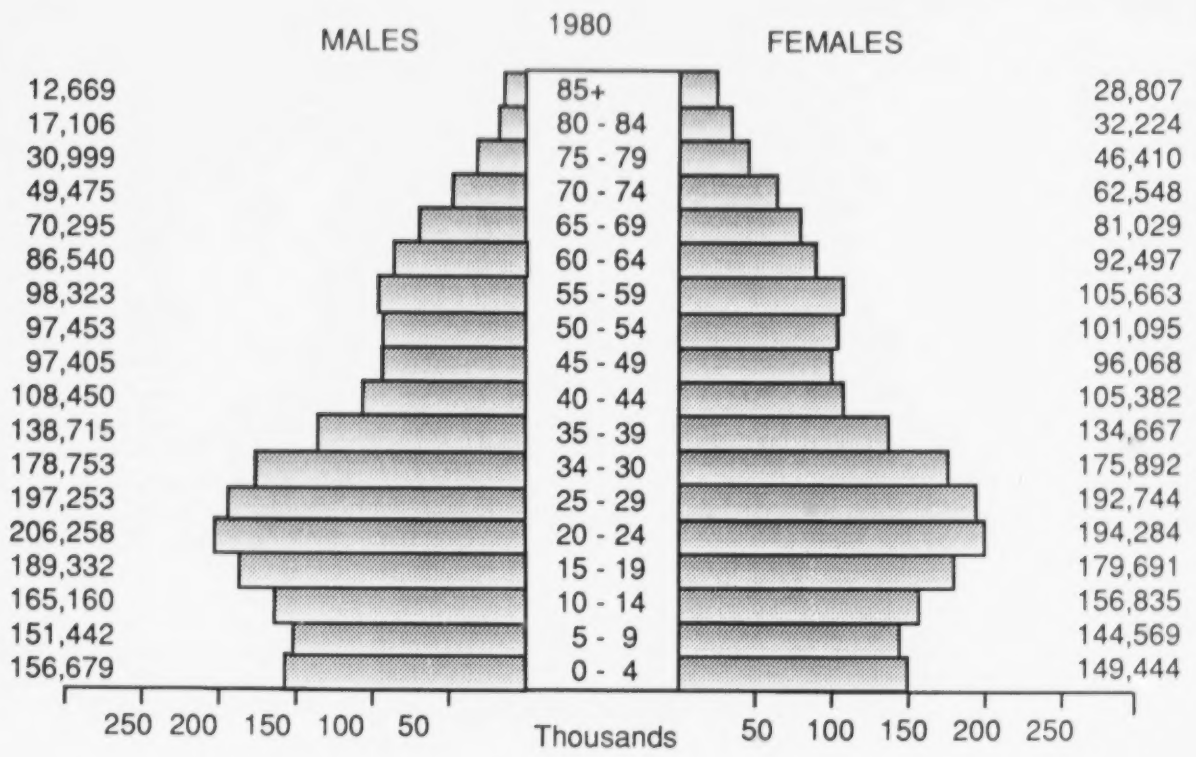
of calendar year 1987. The data for January through March 1988 are estimated. The estimate of net migration (in minus out) is derived by subtracting the gain due to natural increase from the estimated total population change.

Table 4 reveals the differential growth of cities over the last eight years. The cities are listed in 1988 population rank order. The 1980 population and rank order are listed for comparison. A shift in the rank order often indicates a shift in social and economic resources. In most cases, where a shift has occurred, it has been slight. Several of the big jumps in the rank order can be attributed almost entirely to incorporation or annexation. Tables 7 and 8 detail the incorporation of Mill Creek and the large annexations of Wenatchee, Normandy Park, Des Moines, Mukilteo and Lacey.

Analysis of the trends presented in these first four tables is presented following Table 5, the alphabetical listing of the municipalities with 1988 population determinations.

FIGURE 1
AGE BY SEX POPULATION COMPOSITION OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON

April 1, 1980 and 1988



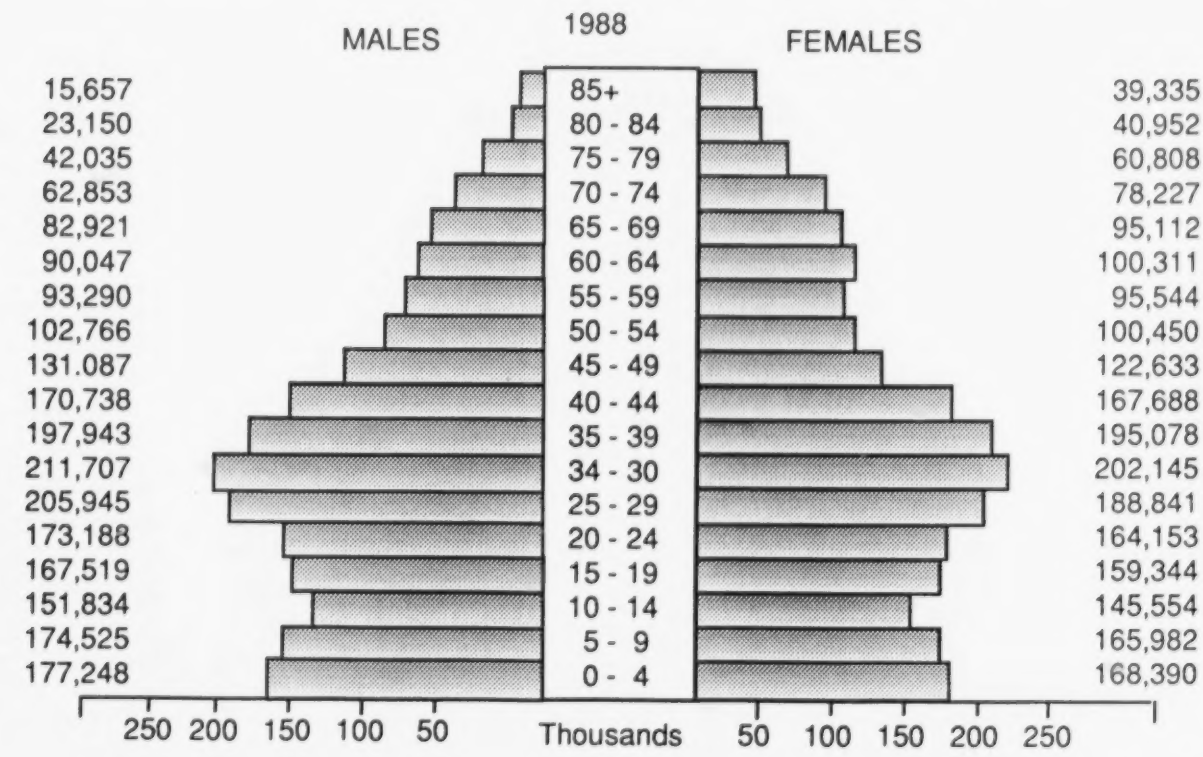


TABLE 1

Population by Age and Sex
State of Washington
April 1, 1980 - 1988

	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988
Total	4,132,156	4,226,600	4,264,000	4,285,100	4,328,100	4,384,100	4,419,700	4,481,100	4,565,000
0- 4	306,123	317,538	326,224	332,968	339,201	341,137	343,013	343,283	345,638
5- 9	296,011	290,636	288,973	290,047	296,607	308,087	316,709	328,164	340,507
10-14	321,995	330,126	327,191	321,114	311,332	301,189	290,374	291,081	297,388
15-19	369,023	357,735	344,826	330,852	324,948	326,100	330,059	329,306	326,863
20-24	400,542	406,263	396,408	384,142	378,081	369,665	352,242	343,982	337,341
25-29	389,997	404,028	406,809	400,258	400,425	401,938	398,260	394,839	394,786
30-34	354,645	381,565	380,650	381,666	387,683	394,464	398,052	406,817	413,852
35-39	273,382	287,749	313,614	331,587	345,074	363,277	381,852	384,172	393,021
40-44	213,832	224,668	235,224	251,897	267,564	281,550	290,789	317,169	338,426
45-49	193,473	195,131	199,507	204,895	211,026	218,134	226,376	236,130	253,720
50-54	198,548	198,584	195,894	193,233	192,535	192,179	193,106	197,409	203,216
55-59	203,986	203,291	200,277	198,697	195,299	193,129	191,686	189,734	188,834
60-64	179,037	184,353	189,582	191,841	194,137	196,408	195,675	192,030	190,358
65-69	151,324	155,019	157,247	159,707	162,055	164,167	168,938	174,544	178,033
70-74	112,023	116,214	121,106	124,983	128,912	133,424	136,495	138,403	141,080
75-79	77,409	79,700	83,083	86,196	89,163	91,749	94,952	99,180	102,843
80-84	49,330	50,821	51,937	53,881	55,646	57,822	59,599	61,837	64,102
85+	41,476	43,179	45,448	47,136	48,412	49,681	51,523	53,020	54,992
Median Age	29.7	29.6	30.0	30.5	30.9	31.3	31.7	32.1	32.4
Male	2,052,307	2,101,070	2,120,204	2,131,947	2,153,472	2,181,873	2,199,727	2,231,061	2,274,453
0- 4	156,679	162,556	166,982	170,694	173,952	174,908	175,794	175,919	177,248
5- 9	151,442	148,826	147,807	148,057	151,449	157,411	162,019	167,958	174,525
10-14	165,160	169,205	167,841	164,511	159,262	153,765	148,287	148,569	151,834
15-19	189,332	183,522	176,806	169,839	166,765	167,545	169,358	169,043	167,519
20-24	206,258	209,959	205,503	200,591	196,755	191,355	181,177	176,555	173,188
25-29	197,253	204,743	207,106	204,749	206,696	209,169	208,070	206,380	205,945
30-34	178,753	192,711	191,818	192,053	194,869	198,425	200,781	206,601	211,707
35-39	138,715	145,672	158,348	166,875	173,321	182,692	192,406	193,313	197,943
40-44	108,450	114,389	120,980	130,099	137,442	143,774	147,630	160,379	170,738
45-49	97,405	98,185	100,776	104,029	107,921	112,044	116,831	122,159	131,087
50-54	97,453	98,441	97,531	96,338	96,192	96,194	96,624	99,252	102,766
55-59	98,323	97,640	95,846	95,538	94,173	93,852	94,171	93,639	93,290
60-64	86,540	88,832	91,199	91,802	92,435	92,965	92,181	90,258	90,047
65-69	70,295	72,343	73,168	74,401	75,895	77,227	79,472	81,945	82,921
70-74	49,475	51,276	53,452	54,925	56,534	58,434	60,166	61,202	62,853
75-79	30,999	32,089	33,420	34,694	36,136	37,456	38,829	40,648	42,035
80-84	17,106	17,762	18,162	18,905	19,634	20,378	21,165	22,142	23,150
85+	12,669	12,919	13,459	13,847	14,041	14,279	14,766	15,099	15,657
Median Age	28.8	28.8	29.2	29.7	30.1	30.4	30.8	31.2	31.5
Female	2,079,849	2,125,530	2,143,796	2,153,153	2,174,628	2,202,227	2,219,973	2,250,039	2,290,547
0- 4	149,444	154,982	159,242	162,274	165,249	166,229	167,219	167,364	168,390
5- 9	144,569	141,810	141,166	141,990	145,158	150,676	154,690	160,206	165,982
10-14	156,835	160,921	159,350	156,603	152,070	147,424	142,087	142,512	145,554
15-19	179,691	174,213	168,020	161,013	158,183	158,555	160,701	160,263	159,344
20-24	194,284	196,304	190,905	183,551	181,326	178,310	171,065	167,427	164,153
25-29	192,744	199,285	199,703	195,509	193,729	192,769	190,190	188,459	188,841
30-34	175,892	188,854	188,832	189,613	192,814	196,039	197,271	200,216	202,145
35-39	134,667	142,077	155,266	164,712	171,753	180,585	189,446	190,859	195,078
40-44	105,382	110,279	114,244	121,798	130,122	137,776	143,159	156,790	167,688
45-49	96,068	96,946	98,731	100,866	103,105	106,090	109,545	113,971	122,633
50-54	101,095	100,143	98,363	96,895	96,343	95,985	96,482	98,157	100,450
55-59	105,663	105,651	104,431	103,159	101,126	99,277	97,515	96,095	95,544
60-64	92,497	95,521	98,383	100,039	101,702	103,443	103,494	101,772	100,311
65-69	81,029	82,676	84,079	85,306	86,160	86,940	89,466	92,599	95,112
70-74	62,548	64,938	67,654	70,058	72,378	74,990	76,329	77,201	78,227
75-79	46,410	47,611	49,663	51,502	53,027	54,293	56,123	58,532	60,808
80-84	32,224	33,059	33,775	34,976	36,012	37,444	38,434	39,695	40,952
85+	28,807	30,260	31,989	33,289	34,371	35,402	36,757	37,921	39,335
Median Age	30.6	30.4	30.9	31.5	31.8	32.2	32.6	33.0	33.3

TABLE 2
Total Persons for Counties, Incorporated Cities and Towns, and the State of Washington
April 1, 1980 - 1988

County/Municipality	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988
ADAMS	13,267	13,100	13,100	13,600	13,700	13,800	13,900	14,000	14,000
Unincorporated	6,031	5,842	5,970	6,201	6,319	6,289	6,412	6,510	6,653
Incorporated	7,236	7,258	7,130	7,399	7,381	7,511	7,488	7,490	7,347
Hatton	81	80	85	95	91 *	71 *	88 #	83 #	82 #
Lind	567	570	560	594 *	590	590	590	595	590
Othello	4,522 *	4,530	4,390	4,570 *	4,550	4,695 *	4,700	4,690	4,580 *
Ritzville	1,800	1,900	1,820	1,860	1,850	1,855	1,855	1,855	1,845
Washtucna	266	278 *	275	280	300	300	255 *	267 #	250 #
ASOTIN	16,823	17,000	17,000	16,800	16,900	17,000	17,000	17,200	17,400
Unincorporated	8,974	9,130	9,210	9,190	9,148	9,245	9,250	9,453	9,675
Incorporated	7,849	7,870	7,790	7,610	7,752	7,755	7,750	7,747	7,725
Asotin	946 *	940	910	910	992 *	1,015	1,020	1,017 *	1,025
Clarkston	6,903	6,930	6,880	6,700	6,760	6,740	6,730	6,730	6,700
BENTON	109,444	113,400	111,700	108,700	107,700	105,200	104,000	104,100	104,100
Unincorporated	32,395	34,947	32,726	31,101	28,995	28,062	27,610	26,985	27,320
Incorporated	77,049	78,453	78,974	77,599	78,705	77,138	76,390	77,115	76,780
Benton City	2,087 *	2,150	1,970	1,880	1,975	1,930	1,820	1,815	1,800
Kennewick	34,397	34,700	35,350	35,700	37,240	36,990	36,600	37,320	37,180
Prosser	4,049	4,120	4,170	4,150	4,180	3,980	4,010	4,000	3,990
Richland	33,578	33,700	33,550	32,000	31,660	30,508 *	30,240	30,280	30,140
West Richland	2,938	3,783 *	3,934 *	3,869 *	3,650	3,730 *	3,720	3,700	3,670
CHELAN	45,061	46,200	45,500	46,500	47,500	48,500	48,900	48,700	49,700
Unincorporated	20,791	21,713	21,120	22,195	22,830	23,838	23,515	22,810	23,548
Incorporated	24,270	24,487	24,380	24,305	24,670	24,662	25,385	25,890	26,152
Cashmere	2,240	2,260	2,290	2,280	2,295	2,285	2,325	2,320	2,305
Chelan	2,802	2,930	2,960	2,950	3,030	3,000	3,020	3,020	2,979 +
Entiat	445	467 *	465	425	500 *	492 *	495	485	433 *
Leavenworth	1,526	1,530	1,540	1,500	1,515	1,525	1,565	1,585	1,575
Wenatchee	17,257	17,300	17,125	17,150	17,330	17,360	17,980	18,480	18,860
CLALLAM	51,648	52,500	52,100	52,200	52,900	52,600	52,900	53,400	54,400
Unincorporated	28,264	29,000	28,620	29,070	29,551	29,220	29,350	29,993	30,860
Incorporated	23,384	23,500	23,480	23,130	23,349	23,380	23,550	23,407	23,540
Forks	3,060 $	3,020 $	3,000	2,850	2,849 *	2,885	2,860	2,870	2,860
Port Angeles	17,311	17,300	17,300	17,100	17,220	17,200	17,300	17,260	17,350
Sequim	3,013	3,180	3,180	3,180	3,280	3,295	3,390	3,277 *	3,330
CLARK	192,227	195,800	198,600	200,000	201,700	203,400	205,000	209,900	214,500
Unincorporated	134,979	138,491	141,055	142,910	144,165	145,579	147,046	150,930	155,530
Incorporated	57,248	57,309	57,545	57,090	57,535	57,821	57,954	58,970	58,970
Battleground	2,774	2,939 *	2,950	2,935 *	2,980	3,256 *	3,260	3,425 *	3,510
Camas	5,681	5,700	5,580	5,500	5,500	5,560	5,600	5,890	5,880
Lacenter	439	440	440	440	400	380	464 *	465	465
Ridgefield	1,062	1,080	1,090	1,090	1,130	1,110	1,120	1,115	1,145
Vancouver	42,834	42,600	42,950	42,600	42,850	42,760	42,740	43,390	43,290
Washougal	3,834	3,910	3,900	3,890	4,040	4,130	4,150	4,060	4,050
Woodland (part)	80 *	80	75	80	80	80	80	85	90
Yacolt	544	560	560	555	555	545	540	540	540
COLUMBIA	4,057	4,000	4,000	4,000	4,100	4,100	4,100	4,100	4,100
Unincorporated	1,294	1,230	1,176	1,135	1,225	1,245	1,220	1,230	1,230
Incorporated	2,763	2,770	2,824	2,865	2,875	2,855	2,880	2,870	2,870
Dayton	2,565	2,570	2,590	2,630	2,640	2,620	2,645	2,640	2,640
Starbuck	198	200	234 *	235	235	235	235	230	230
COWLITZ	79,548	80,500	79,500	79,300	79,900	79,600	78,900	79,200	80,500
Unincorporated	31,654	32,490	31,656	32,360	33,475	32,585	33,000	33,250	34,330
Incorporated	47,894	48,010	47,844	46,940	46,425	47,015	45,900	45,950	46,170
Castle Rock	2,162	2,170	2,160	2,140	2,125	2,135	2,125	2,100	2,100
Kalama	1,216	1,200	1,179 *	1,170	1,170	1,150	1,135	1,130	1,120
Kelso	11,129	11,150	11,075	11,000	10,840	10,930	10,760	10,700	10,880
Longview	31,052	31,100	30,950	30,100	29,820	30,300	29,370	29,520	29,560
Woodland (part)	2,335 *	2,390	2,480	2,530	2,470	2,500	2,510	2,500	2,510
DOUGLAS	22,144	22,800	22,400	22,400	22,600	22,900	23,300	23,500	24,100
Unincorporated	17,374	18,053	17,727	17,783	17,887	18,060	18,505	18,407	19,045
Incorporated	4,770	4,747	4,673	4,617	4,713	4,840	4,795	5,093	5,055
Bridgeport	1,174	1,100	1,090	1,020	1,045	1,045	1,020	1,319 *	1,320
Coulee Dam (part)	242 *	252 *	223 *	234 *	223 *	239 *	230 *	217 *	210 *
East Wenatchee	1,640	1,650	1,620	1,605	1,670	1,680	1,690	1,710	1,710
Mansfield	315	365	340	388	385 *	370 *	380	380	350 +
Rock Island	491	465	500	485	510	525	520	520	520
Waterville	908	915	900	885	880 *	981 *	955	947 +	945

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FERRY	5,811	6,000	6,100	6,100	6,100	6,100	6,100	6,000	6,100
Unincorporated	4,793	4,995	5,140	5,085	5,140	5,143	5,145	5,035	5,105
Incorporated	1,018	1,005	960	1,015	960	957	955	965	995
Republic	1,018	1,005 *	960	1,015	960	957 *	955	965	995
FRANKLIN	35,025	36,700	36,200	36,000	36,300	35,700	35,300	35,500	35,500
Unincorporated	14,135	15,475	14,700	14,580	14,799	14,455	14,349	14,437	14,500
Incorporated	20,890	21,225	21,500	21,420	21,501	21,245	20,951	21,063	21,000
Connell	1,981	1,970	1,960	1,840	2,065 *	2,075	2,046 *	2,060	2,060
Kahlotus	203	205	215	210	226 *	225	225	223 *	225 +
Mesa	278	350	275	270	280	245	260	260 +	285 +
Pasco	18,428 $	18,700 $	19,050	19,100	18,930	18,700	18,420	18,520	18,430
GARFIELD	2,468	2,400	2,400	2,400	2,500	2,500	2,500	2,400	2,400
Unincorporated	752	670	690	725	825	795	800	715	715
Incorporated	1,716	1,730	1,710	1,675	1,675	1,705	1,700	1,685	1,685
Pomeroy	1,716	1,730	1,710	1,675	1,675	1,705	1,700	1,685	1,685
GRANT	48,522	48,600	48,600	49,100	49,500	49,900	50,500	52,100	52,600
Unincorporated	22,005	22,142	22,257	22,348	22,603	22,896	23,298	24,743	24,984
Incorporated	26,517	26,458	26,343	26,752	26,897	27,004	27,202	27,357	27,616
Coulee City	510	536 *	561 *	599 *	631 *	593 *	618 #	567 #	575 #
Coulee Dam (part)	2 *	2 *	2 *	4 *	2 *	2 *	2 *	2 *	2 *
Electric City	927	960	980	960	965	935	955	935	940
Ephrata	5,359	5,430	5,440	5,440	5,440	5,450	5,500	5,520	5,610
George	261	260	255	293 *	265	285	305	302 +	307 +
Grand Coulee	1,180	1,200	1,240	1,230	1,210	1,240	1,210	1,195	1,190
Hartline	165	165	165	165	165	160	175	170	170
Krupp	87 *	85	70	65	80 *	80 *	75	75	67 #
Mattawa	299	310	320 *	360	421 *	455	460	520	605 *
Moses Lake	10,629	10,400	10,310	10,300	10,350	10,370	10,390	10,600	10,650
Quincy	3,525	3,470	3,390	3,658 *	3,620	3,640	3,655	3,670	3,660
Royal City	676	803 *	800	795	815	840	835	805	810
Soap Lake	1,196	1,200	1,210	1,240	1,275	1,285	1,295	1,310	1,305
Warden	1,479	1,417 *	1,410	1,463 *	1,470	1,470	1,520	1,480	1,530
Wilson Creek	222	220	190	180	188 *	199 *	207 #	206 #	195 #
GRAYS HARBOR	66,314	66,800	66,100	65,800	65,100	63,900	63,000	63,000	63,400
Unincorporated	24,627	24,878	24,422	25,069	25,151	24,280	24,050	23,980	24,061
Incorporated	41,687	41,922	41,678	40,731	39,949	39,620	38,950	39,020	39,339
Aberdeen	18,739	18,700	18,550	18,050	17,400	17,250	17,010	17,000	17,130
Cosmopolis	1,575	1,570	1,570	1,545	1,535	1,570	1,555	1,545	1,545
Elma	2,720	2,930	2,950	2,670	2,450	2,460	2,460	2,435	2,445
Hoquiam	9,719	9,630	9,490	9,200	9,390	9,240	9,010	9,020	9,050
Mccleary	1,419	1,430	1,440	1,430	1,440	1,420	1,420	1,450	1,450
Montesano	3,247	3,270	3,220	3,240	3,230	3,160	3,150	3,130	3,140
Oakville	537	554 *	550	581	599 *	540 *	528 #	520	515
Ocean Shores	1,777 *	1,848 *	1,918 *	2,015	2,055	2,130	1,972 *	2,035	2,179 #
Westport	1,954	1,990	1,990	2,000	1,850	1,850	1,845	1,885	1,885
ISLAND	44,048	45,200	46,000	47,000	47,800	49,200	50,600	52,100	53,400
Unincorporated	30,117	31,192	32,010	33,135	33,767	34,728	35,255	36,235	37,052
Incorporated	13,931	14,008	13,990	13,865	14,033	14,472	15,345	15,865	16,348
Coupeville	1,008	1,010	1,050	1,005	1,098 *	1,110	1,120	1,155	1,210
Langley	654 *	681 *	690	710	725	745	745	750	728 *
Oak Harbor	12,271	12,317 *	12,250	12,150	12,210	12,617 *	13,480	13,960 *	14,410
JEFFERSON	15,965	16,600	16,900	16,800	17,000	17,500	17,900	18,100	18,600
Unincorporated	9,898	10,440	10,750	10,600	10,750	11,190	11,450	11,550	11,760
Incorporated	6,067	6,160	6,150	6,200	6,250	6,310	6,450	6,550	6,840
Port Townsend	6,067	6,160	6,150	6,200	6,250	6,310	6,450	6,550	6,840
KING	1,269,898 $	1,309,800	1,311,400	1,315,800	1,326,600	1,346,400	1,361,700	1,384,600	1,413,900
Unincorporated	503,087	538,494	538,251	538,734	539,308	549,582	561,183	574,477	571,629
Incorporated	766,811	771,306	773,149	777,066	788,292	796,818	800,517	810,123	842,271
Algona	1,467	1,500	1,520	1,560	1,555	1,555	1,630	1,635	1,655
Auburn	26,417	27,800	28,950	29,000	29,170	29,880	29,950	30,260	30,790
Beaux Arts	328	320	307 *	307 *	305	310 *	310 *	298 *	293 *
Bellevue	73,903	75,500	74,300	73,900	78,620	80,250	81,770	82,070	85,180
Black Diamond	1,170	1,160	1,120	1,095	1,125	1,130	1,220	1,265	1,330
Bothell (part)	7,943	7,475 *	7,480	7,590	7,740	8,365 *	8,650	9,220	9,850
Carnation	951 *	950	951 *	950	1,100 *	1,172 *	1,190	1,195 *	1,250
Clyde Hill	3,229	3,210	3,140	3,120	3,100	3,050	3,070	3,050	3,030
Des Moines	7,378	7,650	7,840	10,250	13,100	13,500	13,690	13,790	14,120
Duvall	729	823 *	872 *	953 *	996 *	1,148 *	1,439 *	1,685 *	1,910 *
Enumclaw	5,427	5,700	5,790	5,775	5,920	6,090	6,070	6,180	6,260
Hunts Point	483 *	483 *	525 *	525	530	508 *	505	505 *	505
Issaquah	5,536	5,560	5,550	5,550	5,570	5,620	6,422 *	6,770	7,170
Kent	22,961 $	23,400	23,600	25,500	26,250	26,979 *	28,620	30,090	32,350
Kirkland	18,785 $	19,000	19,275	18,850	18,670	19,205 *	19,410	19,430	35,820

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King continued									
Lake Forest Park	2,485	2,470	2,460	2,430	2,420	2,445	2,555	2,770	2,770
Medina	3,220	3,170	3,120	3,100	3,110	2,966 *	2,995	2,940	2,950
Mercer Island	21,522	21,400	21,125	21,150	20,910	20,620	20,670	20,760	20,690
Milton (part)	218	220	320	390	400	435	435	510	545
Normandy Park	4,268	4,190	4,110	6,000	5,960	5,920	6,020	6,090	6,130
North Bend	1,701	1,740	1,740	1,705	1,770	1,800	1,825	2,005 *	2,275
Pacific	2,261	2,260	2,350	2,330	2,380	2,874 *	3,080	3,170	3,320
Redmond	23,318	24,600	25,300	26,300	27,340	28,130	28,811 *	30,260	31,710
Renton	31,031 $	32,200	33,100	32,700	33,340	34,030	34,460	35,360	36,940
Seattle	493,846	492,200	492,000	489,700	490,300	491,400	488,200	491,300	495,900
Skykomish	209	215	215	220	226 *	226 *	230	227 *	233 +
Snoqualmie	1,370	1,450	1,450	1,475	1,480	1,485	1,490	1,515	1,515
Tukwila	3,578	3,580	3,600	3,600	3,860	4,700	4,780	4,760	4,760
Yarrow Point	1,077 *	1,080	1,039	1,041 *	1,045 *	1,025 *	1,020	1,013 #	1,020
KITSAP	147,152 $	156,800 $	158,500	161,600	162,500	167,800	164,500	168,600	177,300
Unincorporated	100,508	109,168	112,245	115,235	117,400	118,859	119,769	124,800	128,642
Incorporated	46,644	47,632	46,255	46,365	45,100	48,941	44,731	43,800	48,658
Bremerton	36,208	37,000	35,475	35,475	33,970	37,760	33,420	32,390	37,050
Port Orchard	4,787	4,810	4,870	4,850	4,840	4,910	4,880	4,820	4,838 *
Poulsbo	3,453	3,480	3,490	3,600	3,720	3,760	3,921 *	4,060	4,190
Winslow	2,196	2,342 *	2,420	2,440	2,570	2,511 *	2,510	2,530	2,580
KITTITAS	24,877	25,100	25,100	24,900	25,000	25,000	25,000	25,100	25,000
Unincorporated	9,109	9,160	9,200	9,170	9,195	9,075	9,395	9,400	9,315
Incorporated	15,768	15,940	15,900	15,730	15,805	15,925	15,605	15,700	15,685
Cle Elum	1,773	1,770	1,760	1,775	1,820	1,845	1,820	1,800	1,815
Ellensburg	11,755	11,900	11,775	11,550	11,590	11,670	11,400	11,500	11,500
Kittitas	853 *	870	920	955	935	935	940	960	920
Roslyn	938	940	970	975	980	975	965	965	960
South Cle Elum	449	460	475	475	480	500	480	475	490
KLICKITAT	15,822	16,200	16,200	16,300	16,500	16,700	16,600	16,500	16,600
Unincorporated	9,715	9,930	9,955	10,030	10,250	10,355	10,265	10,165	10,105
Incorporated	6,107	6,270	6,245	6,270	6,250	6,345	6,335	6,335	6,495
Bingen	679 *	680	645 *	650	650	665 *	660	665	665
Goldendale	3,575 $	3,710 $	3,720	3,690	3,660	3,730	3,740	3,730	3,730
White Salmon	1,853	1,880	1,880	1,930	1,940	1,950	1,935	1,940	2,100
LEWIS	56,025 $	56,700 $	56,400	56,000	56,600	56,500	56,800	57,100	57,400
Unincorporated	33,320	33,600	33,517	33,237	33,882	33,777	34,080	34,060	34,340
Incorporated	22,705	23,100	22,883	22,763	22,718	22,723	22,720	23,040	23,060
Centralia	11,555 $	12,000 $	11,800	11,700	11,770	11,810	11,800	11,830	11,850
Chehalis	6,100	6,000	5,990	6,025	5,950	5,960	5,990	6,210	6,250
Morton	1,264	1,260	1,240	1,220	1,215	1,180	1,170 #	1,180	1,170
Mossyrock	467	465	445	460	475	465	465	465	455
Napavine	611	640	705 *	730	725	735	735	755	740
Pe Ell	617	650	635	590	598 *	585	555	580	580
Toledo	637	620 *	623 *	593 *	565 *	568 *	570	565	570
Vader	406	405	395	410	395 *	390	395	400	395
Winlock	1,052	1,060	1,050	1,035	1,025	1,030	1,040	1,055	1,050
LINCOLN	9,604	9,600	9,600	9,600	9,800	9,700	9,700	9,700	9,700
Unincorporated	3,769	3,662	3,695	3,722	3,860	3,735	3,812	3,808	3,995
Incorporated	5,835	5,938	5,905	5,878	5,940	5,965	5,888	5,892	5,705
Almira	349 *	357 *	365	355	345	350	330 #	330 #	304
Creston	318 *	340	330	321	310	315	300	290	290
Davenport	1,559	1,570	1,570	1,580	1,600	1,610	1,600	1,610	1,615
Harrington	507	520	510	512	510	514 *	510	492 #	470
Odessa	1,009	1,031 *	1,040	1,020	1,094 *	1,098 *	1,090	1,090	972 *
Reardan	498	500	495	485	485	490	480	485	512 +
Sprague	473	480	495	470	476 *	488 *	508 #	525 +	462
Wilbur	1,122	1,140	1,100	1,135	1,120	1,100	1,070	1,070	1,080
MASON	31,184	31,900	32,700	33,600	34,800	34,800	35,400	36,000	36,800
Unincorporated	23,555	24,300	24,960	26,000	27,200	27,250	27,850	28,470	29,270
Incorporated	7,629	7,600	7,740	7,600	7,600	7,550	7,550	7,530	7,530
Shelton	7,629	7,600	7,740	7,600	7,600	7,550	7,550	7,530	7,530
OKANOGAN	30,663 $	30,900	31,000	31,500	31,900	31,700	31,600	31,600	31,700
Unincorporated	16,455	16,686	17,074	17,466	17,867	17,700	17,625	17,676	17,663
Incorporated	14,208	14,214	13,926	14,034	14,033	14,000	13,975	13,924	14,037
Brewster	1,337	1,350	1,320	1,360	1,365	1,360	1,497 *	1,510	1,500
Conconully	157	160	155	168	162 *	162 *	158 #	160 +	178 *
Coulee Dam (part)	1,195 *	1,130 *	1,046 *	1,058 *	1,018 *	982 *	976 *	940 *	891 *
Elmer City	312	320	305	305	323 *	295 *	290 *	264 *	273 #
Nespelem	284	290	290	295	280	270	270	270	270
Okanogan	2,326 $	2,359 *	2,360	2,350	2,350	2,340	2,325	2,320	2,390

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Omak	4,007	4,000	3,940	3,910	3,910	3,910	3,890	3,920	3,910
Oroville	1,483	1,500	1,490	1,480	1,500	1,505	1,505	1,500	1,500
Pateros	555	560	550	525	530	540	550	545	560
Riverside	243	235	230	240	265 *	264 *	265	260	225 +
Tonasket	985	980	950	1,060	1,060	1,065	1,030	1,010	1,055
Twisp	911	900	870	868	850	912 *	849	850	885
Winthrop	413	430	420	415	420	395	370	375	400
PACIFIC	17,237	17,800	17,700	17,600	17,700	17,500	17,200	17,300	17,600
Unincorporated	10,713	11,200	11,100	11,147	11,142	10,870	10,612	10,723	11,075
Incorporated	6,524	6,600	6,600	6,453	6,558	6,630	6,588	6,577	6,525
Ilwaco	604 *	600	590	593	588 *	695 *	698 #	762 *	750
Long Beach	1,243 *	1,300	1,350	1,300	1,335	1,330	1,320	1,295	1,300
Raymond	2,991	3,000	2,970	2,920	3,000	2,970	2,960	2,900	2,870
South Bend	1,686	1,700	1,690	1,640	1,635	1,635	1,610	1,620	1,605
PEND OREILLE	8,580	8,800	8,800	8,900	9,100	9,100	9,000	8,900	8,800
Unincorporated	5,589	5,795	5,921	6,025	6,201	6,250	6,130	6,090	6,062
Incorporated	2,991	3,005	2,879	2,875	2,899	2,850	2,870	2,810	2,738
Cusick	246	250	250	240	259 *	245 *	235	217+	202 +
Ione	594	590	580	585	580	565	575	570	520 *
Metaline	190	190	203	195	200	190 *	194 #	176 #	179 #
Metaline Falls	296	295	290	285	290	290	296 #	282 #	272 +
Newport	1,665	1,680	1,556 *	1,570	1,570	1,560	1,570	1,565	1,565
PIERCE	485,667 $	501,300	504,500	507,000	514,600	524,900	530,800	538,000	547,700
Unincorporated	272,591	286,035	288,230	292,054	298,073	306,026	312,920	319,060	324,322
Incorporated	213,076	215,265	216,270	214,946	216,527	218,874	217,880	218,940	223,378
Bonney Lake	5,328	5,720	6,020	5,975	6,260	6,280	6,310	6,360	6,660
Buckley	3,143	3,100	3,090	3,110	3,200	3,105 *	3,110	3,080	3,040
Carbonado	456	450	425	470	460	461 *	470	470	460
Du Pont	559	564 *	560	560	587 *	595	600	595	595
Eatonville	998	1,020	1,030	1,075	1,125	1,130	1,105	1,220	1,225
Fife	1,823	2,110	2,480	2,390	2,425	2,405	2,670	2,820	2,860
Fircrest	5,477	5,480	5,250	5,400	5,320	5,300	5,505	5,400	5,320
Gig Harbor	2,429	2,430	2,480	2,580	2,550	2,570	2,620	2,640	2,830
Milton (part)	2,944	3,000	2,840	3,010	3,070	3,335	3,310	3,460	3,760
Orting	1,787 $	1,810 $	1,820	1,810	1,875	1,830	1,860	1,890	1,905
Puyallup	18,251	18,200	18,575	18,550	18,600	19,180	19,400	19,830	20,840
Roy	417	415	410	321 *	355	320	320	335	340
Ruston	623 *	620	620	620	620	620	615	635	642
South Prairie	202	210	210	215	230	229 *	230	245	231
Steilacoom	4,886	4,870	4,830	4,990	4,950	5,070	5,105	5,190	5,290
Sumner	4,936	5,130	5,190	5,130	5,160	5,280	5,385	5,510	5,620
Tacoma	158,501	159,800	160,100	158,400	159,400	160,800	158,900	158,900	161,400
Wilkeson	316 $	336 *	340	340	340	364 *	365	360	360
SAN JUAN	7,838	8,100	8,500	8,700	8,900	8,900	8,900	9,200	9,600
Unincorporated	6,638	6,880	7,250	7,470	7,650	7,590	7,590	7,910	8,125
Incorporated	1,200	1,220	1,250	1,230	1,250	1,310	1,310	1,290	1,475
Friday Harbor	1,200	1,220	1,250	1,230	1,250	1,310	1,310	1,290	1,475
SKAGIT	64,138	64,900	65,600	66,100	66,800	68,200	69,000	69,500	70,800
Unincorporated	30,292	30,435	30,670	31,355	31,745	32,235	32,887	32,917	33,855
Incorporated	33,846	34,465	34,930	34,745	35,055	35,965	36,113	36,583	36,945
Anacortes	9,013	9,200	9,280	9,425	9,510	9,860	9,910	10,160	10,320
Burlington	3,894	3,900	3,890	3,820	3,870	3,900	3,920	3,890	3,890
Concrete	592	585	580	570	565	580	565	623 *	620
Hamilton	283	280	265	220	220	215	219 *	220	220
La Conner	660 *	660	650	645	645	640	669 *	665	665
Lyman	285	280	280	240	255	270	280	295	310
Mount Vernon	13,009	13,300	13,625	13,600	13,730	14,210	14,260	14,400	14,590
Sedro Woolley	6,110	6,260	6,360	6,225	6,260	6,290	6,290	6,330	6,330
SKAMANIA	7,919	8,100	8,000	7,800	7,900	7,900	7,800	7,800	8,000
Unincorporated	6,315	6,546	6,382	6,213	6,335	6,394	6,282	6,291	6,468
Incorporated	1,604	1,554	1,618	1,587	1,565	1,506	1,518	1,509	1,532
North Bonneville	432 *	424 *	418 *	427 *	415 *	414 *	423 *	419 *	432 *
Stevenson	1,172	1,130	1,200	1,160	1,150	1,092 *	1,095	1,090	1,100
SNOHOMISH	337,720 $	353,400 $	356,400	360,900	366,700	373,000	381,600	393,600	409,500
Unincorporated	186,491	196,031	198,950	203,964	204,053	208,064	211,661	220,625	231,431
Incorporated	151,229	157,369	157,450	156,936	162,647	164,936	169,939	172,975	178,069
Arlington	3,282	3,270	3,270	3,330	3,270	3,300	3,330	3,340	3,582 *
Bothell (part)	0	0	10	10	40	117 *	175	275	355
Brier	2,915	2,920	2,890	3,210	3,390	3,913 *	4,255	4,520	4,790
Darrington	1,064	1,100	1,090	1,020	1,005 *	1,005	1,015	1,020	1,020
Edmonds	27,679 $	28,300 $	27,400	27,000	27,880	27,880	28,060	28,300	28,500
Everett	54,413	56,000	56,700	56,200	56,680	57,030	59,470	60,100	60,920

TABLE 2–Continued
Total Persons for Counties, Incorporated Cities and Towns, and the State of Washington
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County/Municipality	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988
Snohomish continued									
Gold Bar	794	800	850	850	845	742 *	770	780	815
Granite Falls	911	920	910	890	895	925	955	970	975
Index	147	140	135	135	142 *	145	148	155	184
Lake Stevens	1,660	1,670	1,680	1,720	1,740	1,820	2,404 *	2,530	2,630
Lynnwood	22,641 $	23,700	23,375	23,000	23,139 *	23,400	24,000	24,260	25,420
Marysville	5,544	5,599 *	6,150	6,275	6,350	6,790	7,070	7,110	7,726 *
Mill Creek	0	0	0	0	3,561 *	3,945 *	4,337 *	4,610	5,262 #
Monroe	2,869	3,020	3,040	3,000	3,050	3,050	3,125	3,300	3,350
Mountlake Terrace	16,534	16,200	15,950	16,000	16,020	15,900	15,590	16,060	16,290
Mukilteo	1,426	4,310	4,390	4,670	4,945 *	5,200	5,390	5,560	5,860
Snohomish	5,294	5,310	5,520	5,450	5,500	5,500	5,500	5,700 *	5,790
Stanwood	1,646 $	1,670	1,670	1,660	1,555 *	1,600	1,630	1,635	1,835 *
Sultan	1,578	1,610	1,570	1,656 *	1,750	1,850 *	1,860	1,890	1,900
Woodway	832	830	850	860	890	824 *	855	860	865
SPOKANE	341,835	347,600	348,100	348,000	349,400	354,300	355,900	355,900	354,100
Unincorporated	152,164	158,055	158,090	159,337	159,481	163,584	164,507	165,132	165,082
Incorporated	189,671	189,545	190,010	188,663	189,919	190,716	191,393	190,768	189,018
Airway Heights	1,730	1,700	1,730	1,890	1,795	1,820	1,850	1,850	1,965
Cheney	7,630	7,650	7,540	7,600 *	7,540	7,620	7,610	7,640	7,550
Deer Park	2,140	2,190	2,220	2,240	2,260	2,350	2,385	2,385	2,375
Fairfield	582	550	610	601	585	522 *	541 #	535 +	555 +
Latah	155	155	160	159 *	171 *	159 *	179 #	179 #	171 #
Medical Lake	3,600	3,580	3,540	3,510	3,600	3,750	3,665	3,630	3,760
Millwood	1,717	1,710	1,690	1,700	1,685	1,688 *	1,690	1,685	1,680
Rockford	442	440	435	431	430	380	442 *	440	440
Spangle	276	280	275	227	240 *	226 *	226 #	232 +	222 +
Spokane	171,300	171,200	171,700	170,200	171,500	172,100	172,700	172,100	170,200
Waverly	99	90	110 *	105	113 *	101 *	105	91 +	100
STEVENS	28,979	29,500	29,400	29,700	30,100	30,100	30,200	30,200	30,200
Unincorporated	20,398	20,819	20,752	21,063	21,340	21,340	21,548	21,500	21,569
Incorporated	8,581	8,681	8,648	8,637	8,760	8,760	8,652	8,700	8,631
Chewelah	2,012 *	2,021 *	2,029 *	2,030	2,045	2,080	1,957 *	1,970	1,965
Colville	4,603 *	4,640	4,610	4,580	4,630	4,670	4,720	4,760	4,770
Kettle Falls	1,087	1,110	1,134 *	1,170	1,225	1,270	1,239 *	1,245	1,240
Marcus	174	175	170	170	170	153 *	160 *	159 #	155 *
Northport	424 *	455 *	435 *	457 *	455 *	374 *	342 *	342 #	297 #
Springdale	281	280	270	230	235 *	213 *	234 #	224 +	204 #
THURSTON	124,264	129,100	131,300	133,500	136,200	139,500	142,200	145,500	149,300
Unincorporated	72,188	76,320	78,155	80,098	81,345	84,070	85,750	87,770	90,330
Incorporated	52,076	52,780	53,145	53,402	54,855	55,430	56,450	57,730	58,970
Bucoda	519	520	520	540	535	535	530	525	535
Lacey	13,940	14,200	14,175	14,030	14,520	15,200	15,270	15,840	16,380
Olympia	27,447	27,600	27,700	28,000	28,790	28,560	28,990	29,600	30,270
Rainier	891	1,020	990	992 *	1,010	995	995	985	1,000
Tenino	1,280	1,310	1,340	1,400	1,375	1,390	1,390	1,340	1,285
Tumwater	6,705	6,690	7,000	7,050	7,240	7,380	7,890	8,070	8,100
Yelm	1,294	1,440	1,420	1,390	1,385	1,370	1,385	1,370	1,400
WAHKIAKUM	3,832	3,800	3,800	3,700	3,800	3,700	3,600	3,600	3,500
Unincorporated	3,197	3,170	3,170	3,075	3,175	3,080	2,980	2,980	2,885
Incorporated	635	630	630	625	625	620	620	620	615
Cathlamet	635	630	630	625	625	620	620	620	615
WALLA WALLA	47,435	47,900	48,300	48,200	48,500	48,400	48,500	48,300	48,300
Unincorporated	14,650	15,246	15,332	15,570	15,691	15,430	15,590	15,660	15,691
Incorporated	32,785	32,654	32,968	32,630	32,809	32,970	32,910	32,640	32,609
College Place	5,790	5,900	5,990	5,675	5,813 *	6,010	6,010	5,930	5,870
Prescott	341	294 *	318 *	295 *	296 *	255 *	270 *	265 #	274 #
Waitsburg	1,035	1,060	1,060	1,060	1,060	1,065	1,040	1,025	1,025
Walla Walla	25,619	25,400	25,600	25,600	25,640	25,640	25,590	25,420	25,440
WHATCOM	106,701	109,900	111,100	112,100	113,700	116,000	116,700	117,200	119,100
Unincorporated	48,622	50,966	52,314	52,916	54,094	55,699	56,402	56,688	58,133
Incorporated	58,079	58,934	58,786	59,184	59,606	60,301	60,298	60,512	60,967
Bellingham	45,794	46,400	45,950	45,900	46,010	46,360	46,380	46,360	46,610
Blaine	2,363	2,350	2,320	2,390	2,325	2,420	2,380	2,415	2,415
Everson	898	940	970	1,000	1,060	1,100	1,120	1,125	1,150
Ferndale	3,855	4,020	4,120	4,390	4,440	4,600	4,620	4,680	4,750
Lynden	4,028	4,080	4,250	4,220	4,430	4,500	4,550	4,690	4,780
Nooksack	429	430	425	503 *	570	585	515	515	515
Sumas	712	714 *	751 *	781 *	771 *	736 *	733 *	727 #	747 #
WHITMAN	40,103	40,400	40,200	39,900	39,700	39,600	39,500	39,200	39,000
Unincorporated	7,347	7,273	7,650	7,694	7,883	7,827	7,817	7,894	7,752
Incorporated	32,756	33,127	32,550	32,206	31,817	31,773	31,683	31,306	31,248
Albion	631	640	650	635	625	652 *	660	660	670

TABLE 2–Continued
Total Persons for Counties, Incorporated Cities and Towns, and the State of Washington
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County/Municipality	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988
Whitman continued									
Colfax	2,780	2,780	2,780	2,820	2,780	2,875	2,840	2,820	2,840
Colton	307	305	300	290	290	290	290	285	290
Endicott	290	311 *	321 *	315	303 *	325 *	326 #	314 #	300 #
Farmington	176	175	175	175	180	180	180	175	132
Garfield	599	622 *	610	611	595	606 *	605	603 #	581 #
La Crosse	373	420 *	407 *	395 *	371 *	392 *	388 #	372 *	382 *
Lamont	101	100	80	90	87 *	92 *	91 #	77 #	93 *
Malden	209 *	215	210	205	205	200	190	190	185
Oakesdale	444	440	435	435	440	440	435	430	430
Palouse	1,005	1,010	1,010	980	931 *	930	940	940	930
Pullman	23,579	23,800	23,250	23,000	22,770	22,560	22,530	22,240	22,230
Rosalia	572	580	590	570	575	565 *	563 #	565	555
St. John	550 *	555 *	552 *	537 *	508 *	510	515	505	505
Tekoa	854	870	860	835	860	860	845	845	840
Uniontown	286	304 *	320	313	297 *	296 *	285 *	285	285 +
YAKIMA	172,508	175,000	175,200	177,000	180,000	182,500	183,600	184,400	186,300
Unincorporated	83,462	85,311	85,220	88,200	89,715	92,071	93,018	93,822	95,367
Incorporated	89,046	89,689	89,980	88,800	90,285	90,429	90,582	90,578	90,933
Grandview	5,615	6,000	5,830	6,300	6,440	6,310	6,320	6,300	6,340
Granger	1,812	1,840	1,840	1,810	1,785	1,800	1,790	1,820	1,830
Harrah	343	345	360	345	350	350	358 #	343 +	332 +
Mabton	1,248	1,234 *	1,250	1,235	1,275	1,300	1,275	1,250	1,250
Moxee	687	700	730	745	740	735	789 *	790	790
Naches	655 *	670	640	645	675	660	680	660	660
Selah	4,500 $	4,560 $	4,610	4,520	4,610	4,620	4,670	4,730	4,980
Sunnyside	9,225	9,290	9,460	9,450	9,740	9,730	9,650	9,630	9,640
Tieton	528	540	600	560	540	589 *	595	560	613 *
Toppenish	6,517	6,560	6,550	6,575	6,570	6,550	6,560	6,550	6,620
Union Gap	3,184	3,180	3,160	3,120	3,140	3,160	3,180	3,250	3,240
Wapato	3,307	3,350	3,360	3,310	3,350	3,370	3,370	3,350	3,330
Yakima	49,826	49,800	49,900	48,500	49,340	49,510	49,590	49,600	49,470
Zillah	1,599	1,620	1,690	1,685	1,730	1,745	1,755	1,745	1,838 *
STATE TOTAL	4,132,353	4,250,200	4,264,000	4,285,100	4,328,100	4,384,100	4,419,700	4,481,100	4,565,000
Unincorporated	2,008,258	2,105,770	2,117,312	2,143,262	2,162,515	2,198,473	2,229,928	2,274,181	2,309,474
Incorporated	2,124,095	2,144,430	2,146,688	2,141,838	2,165,585	2,185,627	2,189,772	2,206,919	2,255,526

Notes:

1. The county and municipal populations shown for 1980 are, with a few exceptions, the 1980 federal census final counts. Jurisdictions will be advised if any further corrections are received. Federal census counts have been adjusted for annexations from January 1, 1980 to April 1, 1980.

2. (*) State Certified Special Census. A population and housing count that meets all special census certification requirements. Also indicates cities and towns with March 1, 1980 city special census count greater than the federal 1980 census count.

3. (#) Informal Count. A population and housing count that is considered accurate but does not meet all special census certification requirements.

4. (+) Informal Count. A population count that is considered accurate but does not meet all special census certification requirements.

5. The 1981 estimates have been revised on the basis of corrections to the 1980 census counts that were provided by the Bureau of the Census in correspondence dated August 18, 1981 and February 18, 1982.

   ($) Indicates a correction to the 1980 census count and/or a revised 1981 estimate. With the exception of corrections to the federal census counts, annual estimates in this official series are not revised on the basis of other information that becomes available after the estimate date. As a result, population estimates shown for the individual years, from 1981 through the current estimate date, may not be comparable. Figures often vary due to data corrections or the use of new survey or census data that are not available on an annual basis. Revised county estimates are published regularly in the Components of Population Change Section in Population Trends for Washington State.

6. Mill Creek incorporated in September, 1983.

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TABLE 3A

Components of Population Change for Counties and the State of Washington April 1, 1980 - 1988

	1980 Census Count (Corrected)	1981 Estimate (Revised)	1982 Estimate	1983 Estimate	1984 Estimate	1985 Estimate	1986 Estimate	1987 Estimate	1988 Estimate
Washington	4,132,353	4,226,600	4,264,000	4,285,100	4,328,100	4,384,100	4,419,700	4,481,100	4,565,000
Adams	13,267	13,100	13,100	13,600	13,700	13,800	13,900	14,000	14,000
Asotin	16,823	16,900	17,000	16,800	16,900	17,000	17,000	17,200	17,400
Benton	109,444	111,300	111,700	108,700	107,700	105,200	104,000	104,100	104,100
Chelan	45,061	45,600	45,500	46,500	47,500	48,500	48,900	48,700	49,700
Clallam	51,648	52,000	52,100	52,200	52,900	52,600	52,900	53,400	54,400
Clark	192,227	195,200	198,600	200,000	201,700	203,400	205,000	209,900	214,500
Columbia	4,057	4,000	4,000	4,000	4,100	4,100	4,100	4,100	4,100
Cowlitz	79,548	79,800	79,500	79,300	79,900	79,600	78,900	79,200	80,500
Douglas	22,144	22,400	22,400	22,400	22,600	22,900	23,300	23,500	24,100
Ferry	5,811	6,000	6,100	6,100	6,100	6,100	6,100	6,000	6,100
Franklin	35,025	35,900	36,200	36,000	36,300	35,700	35,300	35,500	35,500
Garfield	2,468	2,400	2,400	2,400	2,500	2,500	2,500	2,400	2,400
Grant	48,522	48,500	48,600	49,100	49,500	49,900	50,500	52,100	52,600
Grays Harbor	66,314	66,700	66,100	65,800	65,100	63,900	63,000	63,000	63,400
Island	44,048	45,300	46,000	47,000	47,800	49,200	50,600	52,100	53,400
Jefferson	15,965	16,600	16,900	16,800	17,000	17,500	17,900	18,100	18,600
King	1,269,898	1,300,800	1,311,400	1,315,800	1,326,600	1,346,400	1,361,700	1,384,600	1,413,900
Kitsap	147,152	156,500	158,500	161,600	162,500	167,800	164,500	168,600	177,300
Kittitas	24,877	25,100	25,100	24,900	25,000	25,000	25,000	25,100	25,000
Klickitat	15,822	16,200	16,200	16,300	16,500	16,700	16,600	16,500	16,600
Lewis	56,025	56,400	56,400	56,000	56,600	56,500	56,800	57,100	57,400
Lincoln	9,604	9,600	9,600	9,600	9,800	9,700	9,700	9,700	9,700
Mason	31,184	32,100	32,700	33,600	34,800	34,800	35,400	36,000	36,800
Okanogan	30,663	30,800	31,000	31,500	31,900	31,700	31,600	31,600	31,700
Pacific	17,237	17,600	17,700	17,600	17,700	17,500	17,200	17,300	17,600
Pend Oreille	8,580	8,900	8,800	8,900	9,100	9,100	9,000	8,900	8,800
Pierce	485,667	499,700	504,500	507,000	514,600	524,900	530,800	538,000	547,700
San Juan	7,838	8,100	8,500	8,700	8,900	8,900	8,900	9,200	9,600
Skagit	64,138	64,300	65,600	66,100	66,800	68,200	69,000	69,500	70,800
Skamania	7,919	8,000	8,000	7,800	7,900	7,900	7,800	7,800	8,000
Snohomish	337,720	350,400	356,400	360,900	366,700	373,000	381,600	393,600	409,500
Spokane	341,835	346,800	348,100	348,000	349,400	354,300	355,900	355,900	354,100
Stevens	28,979	29,200	29,400	29,700	30,100	30,100	30,200	30,200	30,200
Thurston	124,264	128,600	131,300	133,500	136,200	139,500	142,200	145,500	149,300
Wahkiakum	3,832	3,800	3,800	3,700	3,800	3,700	3,600	3,600	3,500
Walla Walla	47,435	47,600	48,300	48,200	48,500	48,400	48,500	48,300	48,300
Whatcom	106,701	109,500	111,100	112,100	113,700	116,000	116,700	117,200	119,100
Whitman	40,103	40,300	40,200	39,900	39,700	39,600	39,500	39,200	39,000
Yakima	172,508	174,600	175,200	177,000	180,000	182,500	183,600	184,400	186,300

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TABLE 3B

Components of Population Change for Counties and the State of Washington April 1, 1980 - 1988

	Total Change 1980-88		Births 1980-88	Deaths 1980-88	Natural Increase 1980-88	Net Migration 1980-88
	Number	%Change				
Washington	432,647	10.47	555,457	267,028	288,429	144,218
Adams	733	5.52	2,328	759	1,569	-836
Asotin	577	3.43	2,049	1,338	711	-134
Benton	-5,344	-4.88	16,083	4,804	11,279	-16,623
Chelan	4,639	10.29	6,568	3,827	2,741	1,898
Clallam	2,752	5.33	6,259	4,196	2,063	689
Clark	22,273	11.59	25,943	11,372	14,571	7,702
Columbia	43	1.06	456	417	39	4
Cowlitz	952	1.20	9,651	5,299	4,352	-3,400
Douglas	1,956	8.83	2,926	1,307	1,619	337
Ferry	289	4.97	780	347	433	-144
Franklin	475	1.36	6,608	1,830	4,778	-4,303
Garfield	-68	-2.76	274	228	46	-114
Grant	4,078	8.40	7,563	2,901	4,662	-584
Grays Harbor	-2,914	-4.39	8,185	5,267	2,918	-5,832
Island	9,352	21.23	6,822	2,793	4,029	5,323
Jefferson	2,635	16.50	1,768	1,305	463	2,172
King	144,002	11.34	153,619	79,826	73,793	70,209
Kitsap	30,148	20.49	22,062	8,880	13,182	16,966
Kittitas	123	0.49	2,562	1,689	873	-750
Klickitat	778	4.92	2,052	1,103	949	-171
Lewis	1,375	2.45	7,171	4,387	2,784	-1,409
Lincoln	96	1.00	1,030	893	137	-41
Mason	5,616	18.01	3,948	2,345	1,603	4,013
Okanogan	1,037	3.38	4,610	2,396	2,214	-1177
Pacific	363	2.11	1,957	1,865	92	271
Pend Oreille	220	2.56	1,042	677	365	-145
Pierce	62,033	12.77	75,263	30,492	44,771	17,262
San Juan	1,762	22.48	829	591	238	1,524
Skagit	6,662	10.39	8,603	5,222	3,381	3,281
Skamania	81	1.02	914	353	561	-480
Snohomish	71,780	21.25	50,495	19,468	31,027	40,753
Spokane	12,265	3.59	44,362	24,022	20,340	-8,075
Stevens	1,221	4.21	3,991	1,868	2,123	-902
Thurston	25,036	20.15	17,322	7,839	9,483	15,553
Wahkiakum	332	-8.66	297	297	0	-332
Walla Walla	865	1.82	5,425	3,776	1,649	-784
Whatcom	12,399	11.62	13,080	6,775	6,305	6,094
Whitman	-1,103	-2.75	3,677	1,792	1,885	-2,988
Yakima	13,792	7.99	26,883	12,482	14,401	-609

TABLE 4
Total Persons for Incorporated Cities and Towns in the State of Washington (in 1988 Population Rank Order): April 1, 1980 and 1988

Muncipality	Population 1980	Population 1988	Rank 1980	Rank 1988
Seattle	493,846	495,900	1	1
Spokane	171,300	170,200	2	2
Tacoma	158,501	161,400	3	3
Bellevue	73,903	85,180	4	4
Everett	54,413	60,920	5	5
Yakima	49,826	49,470	6	6
Bellingham	45,794	46,610	7	7
Vancouver	42,834	43,290	8	8
Kennewick	34,397	37,180	10	9
Bremerton	36,208	37,050	9	10
Renton	31,031	36,940	13	11
Kirkland	18,785	35,820	23	12
Kent	22,961	32,350	20	13
Redmond	23,318	31,710	19	14
Auburn	26,417	30,790	16	15
Olympia	27,447	30,270	15	16
Richland	33,578	30,140	11	17
Longview	31,052	29,560	12	18
Edmonds	27,679	28,500	14	19
Walla Walla	25,619	25,440	17	20
Lynnwood	22,641	25,420	21	21
Pullman	23,579	22,230	18	22
Puyallup	18,251	20,840	26	23
Mercer Island	21,522	20,690	22	24
Wenatchee	17,257	18,860	28	25
Pasco	18,428	18,430	25	26
Port Angeles	17,311	17,350	27	27
Aberdeen	18,739	17,130	24	28
Lacey	13,940	16,380	30	29
Mountlake Terrace	16,534	16,290	29	30
Mount Vernon	13,009	14,590	31	31
Oak Harbor	12,271	14,410	32	32
Des Moines	7,378	14,120	43	33
Centralia	11,555	11,850	34	34
Ellensburg	11,755	11,500	33	35
Kelso	11,129	10,880	35	36
Moses Lake	10,629	10,650	36	37
Anacortes	9,013	10,320	39	38
Bothell	7,943	10,205	40	39
Sunnyside	9,225	9,640	38	40
Hoquiam	9,719	9,050	37	41
Tumwater	6,705	8,100	45	42
Marysville	5,544	7,726	53	43
Cheney	7,630	7,550	41	44
Shelton	7,629	7,530	42	45
Issaquah	5,536	7,170	54	46
Port Townsend	6,067	6,840	49	47
Clarkston	6,903	6,700	44	48
Bonney Lake	5,328	6,660	58	49
Toppenish	6,517	6,620	46	50
Grandview	5,615	6,340	52	51
Sedro-Woolley	6,110	6,330	47	52
Enumclaw	5,427	6,260	56	53
Chehalis	6,100	6,250	48	54
Normandy Park	4,268	6,130	66	55
Camas	5,681	5,880	51	56
College Place	5,790	5,870	50	57
Mukilteo	1,426	5,860	136	58
Snohomish	5,294	5,790	59	59
Sumner	4,936	5,620	60	60
Ephrata	5,359	5,610	57	61
Fircrest	5,477	5,320	55	62
Steilacoom	4,886	5,290	61	63
Mill Creek	0	5,262	266	64
Selah	4,500	4,980	65	65
Port Orchard	4,787	4,838	62	66
Brier	2,915	4,790	90	67
Lynden	4,028	4,780	68	68
Colville	4,603	4,770	63	69
Tukwila	3,578	4,760	74	70
Ferndale	3,855	4,750	71	71
Othello	4,522	4,580	64	72
Milton	3,162	4,305	84	73
Poulsbo	3,453	4,190	77	74
Washougal	3,834	4,050	72	75
Prosser	4,049	3,990	67	76
Omak	4,007	3,910	69	77
Burlington	3,894	3,890	70	78
Medical Lake	3,600	3,760	73	79
Goldendale	3,575	3,730	75	80
West Richland	2,938	3,670	89	81
Quincy	3,525	3,660	76	82
Arlington	3,282	3,582	79	83
Battleground	2,774	3,510	94	84
Monroe	2,869	3,350	91	85
Sequim	3,013	3,330	87	86
Wapato	3,307	3,330	78	87
Pacific	2,261	3,320	102	88
Union Gap	3,184	3,240	83	89
Montesano	3,247	3,140	80	90
Buckley	3,143	3,040	85	91
Clyde Hill	3,229	3,030	81	92
Chelan	2,802	2,979	92	93
Medina	3,220	2,950	82	94
Raymond	2,991	2,870	88	95
Fife	1,823	2,860	112	96
Forks	3,060	2,860	86	97
Colfax	2,780	2,840	93	98
Gig Harbor	2,429	2,830	98	99
Lake Forest Park	2,485	2,770	97	100
Dayton	2,565	2,640	96	101
Lake Stevens	1,660	2,630	124	102
Woodland	2,415	2,600	99	103
Winslow	2,196	2,580	104	104
Elma	2,720	2,445	95	105
Blaine	2,363	2,415	100	106
Okanogan	2,326	2,390	101	107
Deer Park	2,140	2,375	106	108
Cashmere	2,240	2,305	103	109
North Bend	1,701	2,275	121	110
Ocean Shores	1,777	2,179	116	111
Castle Rock	2,162	2,100	105	112
White Salmon	1,853	2,100	111	113
Connell	1,981	2,060	109	114
Chewelah	2,012	1,965	108	115
Airway Heights	1,730	1,965	118	116
Duvall	729	1,910	178	117
Orting	1,787	1,905	115	118
Sultan	1,578	1,900	128	119
Westport	1,954	1,885	110	120
Ritzville	1,800	1,845	114	121
Zillah	1,599	1,838	127	122
Stanwood	1,646	1,835	125	123
Granger	1,812	1,830	113	124
Cle Elum	1,773	1,815	117	125
Benton City	2,087	1,800	107	126
East Wenatchee	1,640	1,710	126	127
Pomeroy	1,716	1,685	120	128
Millwood	1,717	1,680	119	129
Algona	1,467	1,655	134	130
Davenport	1,559	1,615	130	131
South Bend	1,686	1,605	122	132
Leavenworth	1,526	1,575	131	133
Newport	1,665	1,565	123	134
Cosmopolis	1,575	1,545	129	135
Warden	1,479	1,530	133	136
Snoqualmie	1,370	1,515	138	137
Brewster	1,337	1,500	139	138

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TABLE 4-Continued
Total Persons for Incorporated Cities and Towns in the State of Washington (in 1988 Population Rank Order): April 1, 1980 and 1988

Muncipality	Population 1980	Population 1988	Rank 1980	Rank 1988
Oroville	1,483	1,500	132	139
Friday Harbor	1,200	1,475	146	140
McCleary	1,419	1,450	137	141
Yelm	1,294	1,400	140	142
Black Diamond	1,170	1,330	151	143
Bridgeport	1,174	1,320	149	144
Soap Lake	1,196	1,305	147	145
Long Beach	1,243	1,300	144	146
Tenino	1,280	1,285	141	147
Carnation	951	1,250	165	148
Mabton	1,248	1,250	143	149
Kettle Falls	1,087	1,240	153	150
Eatonville	998	1,225	163	151
Coupeville	1,006	1,210	161	152
Grand Coulee	1,180	1,190	148	153
Morton	1,264	1,170	142	154
Everson	898	1,150	172	155
Ridgefield	1,062	1,145	156	156
Kalama	1,216	1,120	145	157
Coulee Dam	1,439	1,103	135	158
Stevenson	1,172	1,100	150	159
Wilbur	1,122	1,080	152	160
Tonasket	985	1,055	164	161
Winlock	1,052	1,050	157	162
Asotin	946	1,025	166	163
Waitsburg	1,035	1,025	158	164
Darrington	1,064	1,020	155	165
Yarrow Point	1,077	1,020	154	166
Rainier	891	1,000	173	167
Republic	1,018	995	159	168
Granite Falls	911	975	170	169
Odessa	1,009	972	160	170
Roslyn	938	960	167	171
Waterville	908	945	171	172
Electric City	927	940	168	173
Palouse	1,005	930	162	174
Kittitas	853	920	175	175
Twisp	911	885	169	176
Woodway	832	865	176	177
Tekoa	854	840	174	178
Gold Bar	794	815	177	179
Royal City	676	810	182	180
Moxee	687	790	180	181
Ilwaco	604	750	192	182
Sumas	712	747	179	183
Napavine	611	740	191	184
Langley	654	728	185	185
Albion	631	670	188	186
La Conner	660	665	183	187
Bingen	679	665	181	188
Naches	655	660	184	189
Ruston	623	642	189	190
Concrete	592	620	195	191
Cathlamet	635	615	187	192
Tieton	528	613	204	193
Mattawa	299	605	235	194
Du Pont	559	595	199	195
Lind	567	590	198	196
Garfield	599	581	193	197
Pe Ell	617	580	190	198
Coulee City	510	575	206	199
Toledo	637	570	186	200
Pateros	555	560	200	201
Fairfield	582	555	196	202
Rosalia	572	555	197	203
Yacolt	544	540	202	204
Bucoda	519	535	205	205
Rock Island	491	520	209	206
Ione	594	520	194	207
Nooksack	429	515	220	208
Oakville	537	515	203	209
Reardan	498	512	208	210
St. John	550	505	201	211
Hunts Point	483	505	210	212
South Cle Elum	449	490	214	213
Harrington	507	470	207	214
LaCenter	439	465	218	215
Sprague	473	462	211	216
Carbonado	456	460	213	217
Mossyrock	463	455	212	218
Rockford	442	440	217	219
Entiat	445	433	215	220
North Bonneville	432	432	219	221
Oakesdale	444	430	216	222
Winthrop	413	400	223	223
Vader	406	395	224	224
La Crosse	373	382	225	225
Wilkeson	316	360	231	226
Mansfield	315	350	232	227
Roy	417	340	222	228
Harrah	343	332	227	229
Lyman	285	310	239	230
George	261	307	246	231
Almira	349	304	226	232
Endicott	290	300	237	233
Northport	424	297	221	234
Beaux Arts	328	293	229	235
Creston	318	290	230	236
Colton	307	290	234	237
Uniontown	286	285	238	238
Mesa	278	285	243	239
Prescott	341	274	228	240
Elmer City	312	273	233	241
Metaline Falls	296	272	236	242
Nespelem	284	270	240	243
Washtucna	266	250	245	244
Skykomish	209	233	250	245
South Prairie	202	231	253	246
Starbuck	198	230	254	247
Riverside	243	225	248	248
Kahlotus	203	225	252	249
Spangle	276	222	244	250
Hamilton	283	220	241	251
Springdale	281	204	242	252
Cusick	246	202	247	253
Wilson Creek	222	195	249	254
Malden	209	185	251	255
Index	147	184	261	256
Metaline	190	179	255	257
Conconully	157	178	259	258
Latah	155	171	260	259
Hartline	165	170	258	260
Marcus	174	155	257	261
Farmington	176	132	256	262
Waverly	99	100	263	263
Lamont	101	93	262	264
Hatton	81	82	265	265
Krupp	87	67	264	266

Note: Mill Creek Incorporated in September 1983.

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TABLE 5
Total Persons for Incorporated Cities and Towns in the State of Washington (in Alphabetical Order) April 1, 1988

Municipality	County	April 1, 1988 Population
Aberdeen	Grays Harbor	17,130
Airway Heights	Spokane	1,965
Albion	Whitman	670
Algona	King	1,655
Almira	Lincoln	304
Anacortes	Skagit	10,320
Arlington	Snohomish	3,582 *
Asotin	Asotin	1,025
Auburn	King	30,790
Battleground	Clark	3,510
Beaux Arts	King	293 *
Bellevue	King	85,180
Bellingham	Whatcom	46,610
Benton City	Benton	1,800
Bingen	Klickitat	665
Black Diamond	King	1,330
Blaine	Whatcom	2,415
Bonney Lake	Pierce	6,660
Bothell (part)	King	9,850
Bothell (part)	Snohomish	355
Bremerton	Kitsap	37,050
Brewster	Okanogan	1,500
Bridgeport	Douglas	1,320
Brier	Snohomish	4,790
Buckley	Pierce	3,040
Bucoda	Thurston	535
Burlington	Skagit	3,890
Camas	Clark	5,880
Carbonado	Pierce	460
Carnation	King	1,250 *
Cashmere	Chelan	2,305
Castle Rock	Cowlitz	2,100
Cathlamet	Wahkiakum	615
Centralia	Lewis	11,850
Chehalis	Lewis	6,250
Chelan	Chelan	2,979 +
Cheney	Spokane	7,550
Chewelah	Stevens	1,965
Clarkston	Asotin	6,700
Cle Elum	Kittitas	1,815
Clyde Hill	King	3,030
Colfax	Whitman	2,840
College Place	Walla Walla	5,870
Colton	Whitman	290
Colville	Stevens	4,770
Conconully	Okanogan	178 *
Concrete	Skagit	620
Connell	Franklin	2,060
Cosmopolis	Grays Harbor	1,545
Coulee City	Grant	575 #
Coulee Dam (part)	Douglas	210 *
Coulee Dam (part)	Grant	2 *
Coulee Dam (part)	Okanogan	891 *
Coupeville	Island	1,210
Creston	Lincoln	290
Cusick	Pend Oreille	202 +
Darrington	Snohomish	1,020
Davenport	Lincoln	1,615
Dayton	Columbia	2,640
Deer Park	Spokane	2,375
Des Moines	King	14,120
Du Pont	Pierce	595
Duvall	King	1,910 *
East Wenatchee	Douglas	1,710
Eatonville	Pierce	1,225
Edmonds	Snohomish	28,500
Electric City	Grant	940
Ellensburg	Kittitas	11,500
Elma	Grays Harbor	2,445
Elmer City	Okanogan	273 #
Endicott	Whitman	300 #
Entiat	Chelan	433 *
Enumclaw	King	6,260
Ephrata	Grant	5,610
Everett	Snohomish	60,920
Everson	Whatcom	1,150
Fairfield	Spokane	555 +
Farmington	Whitman	132
Ferndale	Whatcom	4,750
Fife	Pierce	2,860
Fircrest	Pierce	5,320
Forks	Clallam	2,860
Friday Harbor	San Juan	1,475
Garfield	Whitman	581 #
George	Grant	307 +
Gig Harbor	Pierce	2,830
Gold Bar	Snohomish	815
Goldendale	Klickitat	3,730
Grand Coulee	Grant	1,190
Grandview	Yakima	6,340
Granger	Yakima	1,830
Granite Falls	Snohomish	975
Hamilton	Skagit	220
Harrah	Yakima	332 +
Harrington	Lincoln	470
Hartline	Grant	170
Hatton	Adams	82 #
Hoquiam	Grays Harbor	9,050
Hunts Point	King	505
Ilwaco	Pacific	750
Index	Snohomish	184
Ione	Pend Oreille	520 *
Issaquah	King	7,170
Kahlotus	Franklin	225 +
Kalama	Cowlitz	1,120
Kelso	Cowlitz	10,880
Kennewick	Benton	37,180
Kent	King	32,350
Kettle Falls	Stevens	1,240
Kirkland	King	35,820
Kittitas	Kittitas	920
Krupp	Grant	67 #
LaCenter	Clark	465
Lacey	Thurston	16,380
La Conner	Skagit	665
La Crosse	Whitman	382 *
Lake Forest Park	King	2,770
Lake Stevens	Snohomish	2,630
Lamont	Whitman	93 *
Langley	Island	728 *
Latah	Spokane	171 #
Leavenworth	Chelan	1,575
Lind	Adams	590
Long Beach	Pacific	1,300
Longview	Cowlitz	29,560
Lyman	Skagit	310
Lynden	Whatcom	4,780
Lynnwood	Snohomish	25,420
Mabton	Yakima	1,250
McCleary	Grays Harbor	1,450
Malden	Whitman	185
Mansfield	Douglas	350 +
Marcus	Stevens	155 *
Marysville	Snohomish	7,726 *
Mattawa	Grant	605 *
Medical Lake	Spokane	3,760
Medina	King	2,950
Mercer Island	King	20,690

TABLE 5-Continued
Total Persons for Incorporated Cities and Towns in the State of Washington (in Alphabetical Order)
April 1, 1988

Municipality	County	April 1, 1988 Population
Mesa	Franklin	285 +
Metaline	Pend Oreille	179 #
Metaline Falls	Pend Oreille	272 +
Mill Creek	Snohomish	5,262 #
Millwood	Spokane	1,680
Milton (part)	King	545
Milton (part)	Pierce	3,760
Monroe	Snohomish	3,350
Montesano	Grays Harbor	3,140
Morton	Lewis	1,170
Moses Lake	Grant	10,650
Mossyrock	Lewis	455
Mountlake Terrace	Snohomish	16,290
Mount Vernon	Skagit	14,590
Moxee	Yakima	790
Mukilteo	Snohomish	5,860
Naches	Yakima	660
Napavine	Lewis	740
Nespelem	Okanogan	270
Newport	Pend Oreille	1,565
Nooksack	Whatcom	515
Normandy Park	King	6,130
North Bend	King	2,275
North Bonneville	Skamania	432 *
Northport	Stevens	297 #
Oakesdale	Whitman	430
Oak Harbor	Island	14,410
Oakville	Grays Harbor	515
Ocean Shores	Grays Harbor	2,179 #
Odessa	Lincoln	972 *
Okanogan	Okanogan	2,390
Olympia	Thurston	30,270
Omak	Okanogan	3,910
Oroville	Okanogan	1,500
Orting	Pierce	1,905
Othello	Adams	4,580 *
Pacific	King	3,320
Palouse	Whitman	930
Pasco	Franklin	18,430
Pateros	Okanogan	560
Pe Ell	Lewis	580
Pomeroy	Garfield	1,685
Port Angeles	Clallam	17,350
Port Orchard	Kitsap	4,838 *
Port Townsend	Jefferson	6,840
Poulsbo	Kitsap	4,190
Prescott	Walla Walla	274 #
Prosser	Benton	3,990
Pullman	Whitman	22,230
Puyallup	Pierce	20,840
Quincy	Grant	3,660
Rainier	Thurston	1,000
Raymond	Pacific	2,870
Reardan	Lincoln	512 +
Redmond	King	31,710
Renton	King	36,940
Republic	Ferry	995
Richland	Benton	30,140
Ridgefield	Clark	1,145
Ritzville	Adams	1,845
Riverside	Okanogan	225 +
Rockford	Spokane	440
Rock Island	Douglas	520
Rosalia	Whitman	555
Roslyn	Kittitas	960
Roy	Pierce	340
Royal City	Grant	810
Ruston	Pierce	642
St. John	Whitman	505
Seattle	King	495,900
Sedro-Woolley	Skagit	6,330
Selah	Yakima	4,980
Sequim	Clallam	3,330
Shelton	Mason	7,530
Skykomish	King	233 +
Snohomish	Snohomish	5,790
Snoqualmie	King	1,515
Soap Lake	Grant	1,305
South Bend	Pacific	1,605
South Cle Elum	Kittitas	490
South Prairie	Pierce	231
Spangle	Spokane	222 +
Spokane	Spokane	170,200
Sprague	Lincoln	462
Springdale	Stevens	204 #
Stanwood	Snohomish	1,835 *
Starbuck	Columbia	230
Steilacoom	Pierce	5,290
Stevenson	Skamania	1,100
Sultan	Snohomish	1,900
Sumas	Whatcom	747 #
Sumner	Pierce	5,620
Sunnyside	Yakima	9,640
Tacoma	Pierce	161,400
Tekoa	Whitman	840
Tenino	Thurston	1,285
Tieton	Yakima	613 *
Toledo	Lewis	570
Tonasket	Okanogan	1,055
Toppenish	Yakima	6,620
Tukwila	King	4,760
Tumwater	Thurston	8,100
Twisp	Okanogan	885
Union Gap	Yakima	3,240
Uniontown	Whitman	285 +
Vader	Lewis	395
Vancouver	Clark	43,290
Waitsburg	Walla Walla	1,025
Walla Walla	Walla Walla	25,440
Wapato	Yakima	3,330
Warden	Grant	1,530
Washougal	Clark	4,050
Washtucna	Adams	250 #
Waterville	Douglas	945
Waverly	Spokane	100
Wenatchee	Chelan	18,860
Westport	Grays Harbor	1,885
West Richland	Benton	3,670
White Salmon	Klickitat	2,100
Wilbur	Lincoln	1,080
Wilkeson	Pierce	360
Wilson Creek	Grant	195 #
Winlock	Lewis	1,050
Winslow	Kitsap	2,580
Winthrop	Okanogan	400
Woodland (part)	Clark	90
Woodland (part)	Cowlitz	2,510
Woodway	Snohomish	865
Yacolt	Clark	540
Yakima	Yakima	49,470
Yarrow Point	King	1,020
Yelm	Thurston	1,400
Zillah	Yakima	1,838 *

See notes on following page.

TABLE 5-Continued
Total Persons for Incorporated Cities and Towns in the State of Washington (in Aphabetical Order) April 1, 1988

Notes:

1. (*) State Certified Special Census. A population and housing count that meets all special census certification requirements.

2. (#) Informal Count. A population and housing count that is considered accurate but does not meet all special census certification requirements.

3. (+) Informal Count. A population count that is considered accurate but does not meet all special census certification requirements.

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Population and Housing Trends Since 1980

Population Change in Washington State

Since 1980, the number of persons residing in the State of Washington has increased by nearly 433,000. This increase represents an average annual rate of growth of approximately 1.3 percent. During the 1970s, when the population increased by 719,100, the state grew, on average, at the rate of 1.9 percent per year.

The state's population has increased at a steady pace of about 20 percent each decade, based on the number of persons counted in the last three federal censuses. Yet, what appears to be a steady pace of growth from census to census is deceptive. In intervening years between each census there are both positive and negative population growth patterns that largely reflect cyclical patterns in Washington's economy.

Annual data on Washington's population provided in Table 14 reveal that the state entered the 1980s at the crest of a tremendous growth cycle (nearly 4 percent a year from 1977 to 1980). A decline in the annual rate of growth followed during the early 1980s when the population was growing at a rate of 2.3 percent per year. By April 1983, however, population growth had stalled, and the state experienced a net outmigration of nearly 16,000 persons. The state's economy increased in strength during the later part of the decade and is responsible for the slow, but steady, population growth recorded between 1985 and 1988.

Population growth and decline is accounted for by births, deaths and migration. Birth and death data are collected continuously and are assumed to be reasonably complete and accurate. The increase in Washington's population due to the surplus of births over deaths, often referred to as natural increase, tends to be slow, steady and not immediately noticed. However, more than 66 percent of the growth in population over the last eight years resulted from natural increase.

Large or sudden population change is usually the result of dramatic swings in migration. Migration is the most difficult component to estimate. At the state level, estimates of net migration (in minus out) are developed by annual tracking of school enrollment and wage and salary employment. During the last eight years the state experienced both in and out net migration. Approximately 33 percent of the increase in state residents, about 144,000 persons, can be attributed to net migration. Tables 2 and 12 provide different perspectives on the influence of both vital events and migration.

Geographic Distribution of Population Change

The geographic distribution of population change varies throughout the state. A good example of this is found in the uneven growth patterns among the counties detailed in Table 2. Most of the increase in state population, about 393,700 of the 433,000 total, occurred in nine of the largest counties. Six of these, King, Kitsap, Pierce, Snohomish, Thurston, and Whatcom, which together increased by about 345,000 people, border on Puget Sound. The three other counties, with gains of over 10,000 persons each, are Clark, in the southwestern, Spokane, in the eastern, and Yakima, in the south central parts of the state. Five counties, two west of the Cascades, and three east of the mountains, lost a total of about 9,700 people. The rest of the counties have had small to moderate gains, due in most part to natural increase.

The rate of population growth reflects some of the challenges faced by local governments and organizations as their population grows or declines. The rate relates the pace of population growth to the size of the population at the time of the census. San Juan County has recorded the highest average annual rate of growth, 2.81 percent, over the eight-year period. The growth

of San Juan County is mostly the result of migration rather than natural increase. Island, Thurston, Snohomish and Mason Counties have also had very high growth rates. It should be noted that an increase in correctional institution population accounted for 22 percent of Mason County's growth over the 1980 to 1984 period. Migration proves to have more influence on population change at the county level than at the state level. Twenty-two of the 39 counties have had a greater number of outmigrants than inmigrants since 1980 (Table 3).

Another way to assess the impact of population changes on a county is by studying the components of population change (births, deaths, and migration) in detail. In the state as a whole there were roughly twice as many births as there were deaths. Some counties experienced nearly equal numbers of births and deaths while other counties had over three times as many births compared to deaths.

Benton and Franklin Counties each had over three times as many births than deaths between 1980 and 1988, resulting in both their populations having substantial amounts of natural increase. However, Benton County experienced a large overall population decline because of significant amounts of out migration even though its natural increase was very high. Franklin County, while holding roughly constant in size between 1980 and 1988, experienced significant outmigration as well, but its outmigration was offset by its exceptionally high degree of natural increase. As a result, Benton County would have had a substantially greater population decline than it did, and Franklin County would have lost population rather than gained, were it not for their high number of births relative to deaths.

King County experienced steady and substantial population growth between 1980 and 1988, adding over 140,000 people to its 1980 population by 1988. King County, however, experienced below average natural increase between 1980 and 1988. It had less than twice as many births than deaths. As a result, an inordinately large share of its population growth came from migration.

Similar detailed examinations of the relationship between natural increase and migration, in combination with the history of population growth and decline provided in Table 2, can be carried out for each county. Examinations of this type yield important information on the character and timing of population change for the county or counties of interest.

Populations in Cities and Towns

The population of Washington State resides in either incorporated cities and towns or in unincorporated portions of a county. Table 1 reveals that in 1980 more than 51 percent of the state population lived in incorporated municipalities. By 1988, the incorporated cities and towns accounted for only about 49 percent of the population. State incorporated population growth has averaged about a half of a percent per year since 1980. Counties east of the Cascades are characterized by large portions of their populations in incorporated cities and towns. Counties in western Washington generally have more sizable populations in unincorporated areas. The ten fastest growing counties in the state, all on the western side of the Cascades, credit most of their population growth to their unincorporated areas.

Population change in the 11 central cities in Washington's large metropolitan counties accounted for an increase of about 2,700 persons, 0.2 percent, between 1980 and 1987. This growth is a smaller increase than occurred between 1970 and 1980, a time when these cities gained 15,400 people. The unincorporated parts of the 11 large metropolitan counties increased cumulatively by about 234,100 people between 1980 and 1987. While not all of the unincorporated portions of these counties are in urbanized areas, at least 60 percent are included. The trend to move out of urbanized areas and into suburban areas is similar to the population redistribution occurring in other states.

Table 4 provides a ranking of the cities by the size of their population in 1988. Comparison of the 1988 rank with the 1980 rank suggests a redistribution of social and economic resources. Growth and decline of city populations is evident in increases and decreases in the proportion of the state's population living in each city. Some cities increased their share of the state's population while others have lost share.

The fifteen largest gains in share of the state's population were made in smaller cities in the Puget Sound Basin. All of these communities are within commuting distance of the central cities associated with their metropolitan areas. Kirkland, the leading share gainer, increased its share from less than 1 percent of the state's population to over 1.5 percent of the population between 1980 and 1988. Other smaller cities and towns in King and Snohomish Counties are gaining share quickly as well. The only leading share gainers outside of King and Snohomish Counties are Lacey in Thurston County and Puyallup in Pierce County.

While many of the smaller communities around major metropolitan cities are increasing their share of the state's population the major metropolitan cities are losing share. Tacoma, Spokane, and Seattle all decreased in share between 1980 and 1988. In addition, smaller communities outside of the Puget Sound Basin are also losing share.

Cities and towns increase their size because people come in, or their boundaries may expand to include more people. Within the last seven years, municipalities have annexed slightly more than 104 square miles, increasing the total area within corporate limits by a little more than ten percent. At the various times of annexation, 28,800 people lived in these annexed areas. The number of people in these areas today is undoubtedly different from this number. The people living in the annexed parcels are no more inclined to stay in place than is anyone else. Furthermore, housing is more likely to be built or demolished in annexed parcels than anywhere else. More rarely, a city or town may give up a parcel of land through deannexation, which may or may not have any residents, to the county. Tables 7 and 8 list the boundary changes made by cities and towns since 1980.

The incorporation of a city or town is about as rare an event as a deannexation. Mill Creek, in Snohomish County, incorporated on September 30, 1983 and is the latest to do so. There is no trend for this city prior to its appearance, with about 3,355 residents, in 1983. The next most recent incorporation was Ocean Shores, in Grays Harbor County, in November, 1970.

An even rarer event is disincorporation. The last city to disincorporate was Elberton, in Whitman County, in 1966. Similar to a disincorporation is the merging of one city or town with another. In the early 1970s, Mercer Island Town merged with Mercer Island City, in King County, and Westlake merged with Moses Lake, in Grant County. There have been recent incorporation attempts in Federal Way and Woodinville, both in King County, but they have failed. Such movements, if successful, may alter the relationship between populations living in incorporated and in unincorporated areas.

The Measurement of Change

Each year the population unit of the Office of Financial Management is required to produce a population determination for each of the 266 incorporated cities and towns and the 39 counties. The tremendous turnover in population throughout the state underscores the care that must be put into each estimate.

The cities in Washington are all part of a dynamic system that responds to changes in social and economic conditions. All cities and towns change from year to year. Table 4 reveals the amount of change that the system can experience in even a relatively short time as an eight

year period. Even in small cities and towns the size and composition of the population is constantly changing due to vital events, occupational mobility, and geographical mobility.

A special study on the mobility of the state's population, produced from the 1980 census, dispels the widely held impression that most communities are stable and unchanging. The study found that the state lost 358,000 outmigrants while gaining 743,000 new residents during the five-year period preceding the census. Nearly 407,000 persons relocated to another county within the state. In addition, the census recorded about 1,111,000 individuals who moved to another house in the same county. Only 45 percent of the population was found to reside in the same house for five or more years.

Some population change is temporary. Major construction projects take place over several years. The projects at Hanford, Satsop, and in the Grand Coulee area attracted people to places where they had not been before. The largest numbers of these inmigrants, in the early stages, were construction workers, who moved on when the phase of the job they were doing was finished. Usually they were replaced by other workers involved in later phases of the project. Finally, construction workers are usually replaced by a small operations staff. The result was a localized boom town population increase, followed by a decrease to a level only slightly different than existed before all the activity began.

The housing unit method is used to prepare municipal population estimates. The method builds on local area censuses. A federal census or a special census taken by a county, city or town reveals more than a glimpse of the area at the time. It provides the benchmark count of total persons in housing units and in group quarters. In addition, it allows a calculation of occupancy rates and average household sizes. When related to earlier counts, the census is used to chart new trends.

The underlying assumption of the housing unit method is that people usually live in homes, be they detached houses or apartments in a large building. Individuals may live part of the time in different homes, but usually they live at one residence for the majority of the year. These homes are the usual places where the individuals sleep. They have either cooking facilities or a separate entrance, or both, and are technically called housing units. In 1980, about four million people in Washington lived in about one and one-half million housing units of one type or another (Table 6). At the same time, nearly 109,000 more people lived in group quarters. These people were in college dormitories or social houses, military barracks, retirement facilities, long term convalescent centers, mental or penal institutions, or some other type of group living arrangement. In a very few instances, some lived on the streets, sleeping under bridges or in some other substitute shelter (Table 6).

Generally, the number of housing units within the boundaries of counties, cities, and towns increases over time. More new units are built than old units demolished. This increase in units may result in an increase in population. Table 8 shows that large increases in population usually coincide with large increases in housing. But new units do not automatically mean new people, or more people. Many cities reported a large number of newly completed housing units during the last year. Survey data, gathered at about the date of the estimates, indicate that many of the new apartment buildings are filling up slowly. Thus, occupancy rates used to estimate population in new units are typically lower than those for older housing.

Since 1980, the number of households has grown at an average annual rate of 1.8 percent while the population has grown at a rate of 1.2 percent. The faster growth of households in comparison with the much slower growth of population is partly due to the long-running trend of decreases in household size. In Washington State in 1960 the number of persons per household was 3.09. By 1970 the number was 2.93 and the 1980 census recorded a number of 2.61. The

number of persons per household in Washington has continued to fall as seen in the 1987 estimate of 2.50 persons per household. The decline in household size has not been as pronounced in all regions of the state. It has also shown differences according to the type of structure.

The decrease in household size is the result of several social changes. The most evident is fewer children in families. Thirty years ago, most mothers were having three or four children, today one or two is the norm. Divorces, separations, and abandonments have also led to smaller households. In addition, men and women now marry later. These events often lead to a rise in occupancy rates. Yet, it appears that more housing units are being occupied by the same or a smaller number of people.

The normal progression of the family life cycle is also responsible for the decline in the average number of persons per occupied household. When the youngsters are out of high school, they often leave the family home to go out on their own, off to college, or into the military. In many cases, these young adults cannot afford to locate in the same community as their parents. Housing may be too expensive, transportation too arduous or the economy may not be able to absorb them.

The increase in life expectancy is another contributing factor to the decline in household size. Widows and widowers are frequently living on their own. Many cities are reporting the completion of new units built specifically for the elderly. Data indicate that these units predominantly tend to have only one occupant each. Again, occupancy may be greater, but the population may fall, since the average household size is small.

Changes in population size and characteristics are of significant interest to policy makers at both the state and local level. Efforts to learn more about both the characteristics and size of local populations are underway. These efforts are fueled by new information and data being gathered. Data from the 1990 census will help in efforts to examine and better understand both the size and characteristics of Washington's population. In addition, in preparation for the 1990 census the Bureau of the Census conducted a test census in 1988 of much of eastern Washington. Further demographic studies will be conducted as these data become available.

FIGURE 2
Population Change and Net Migration
State of Washington
1960 to 1988

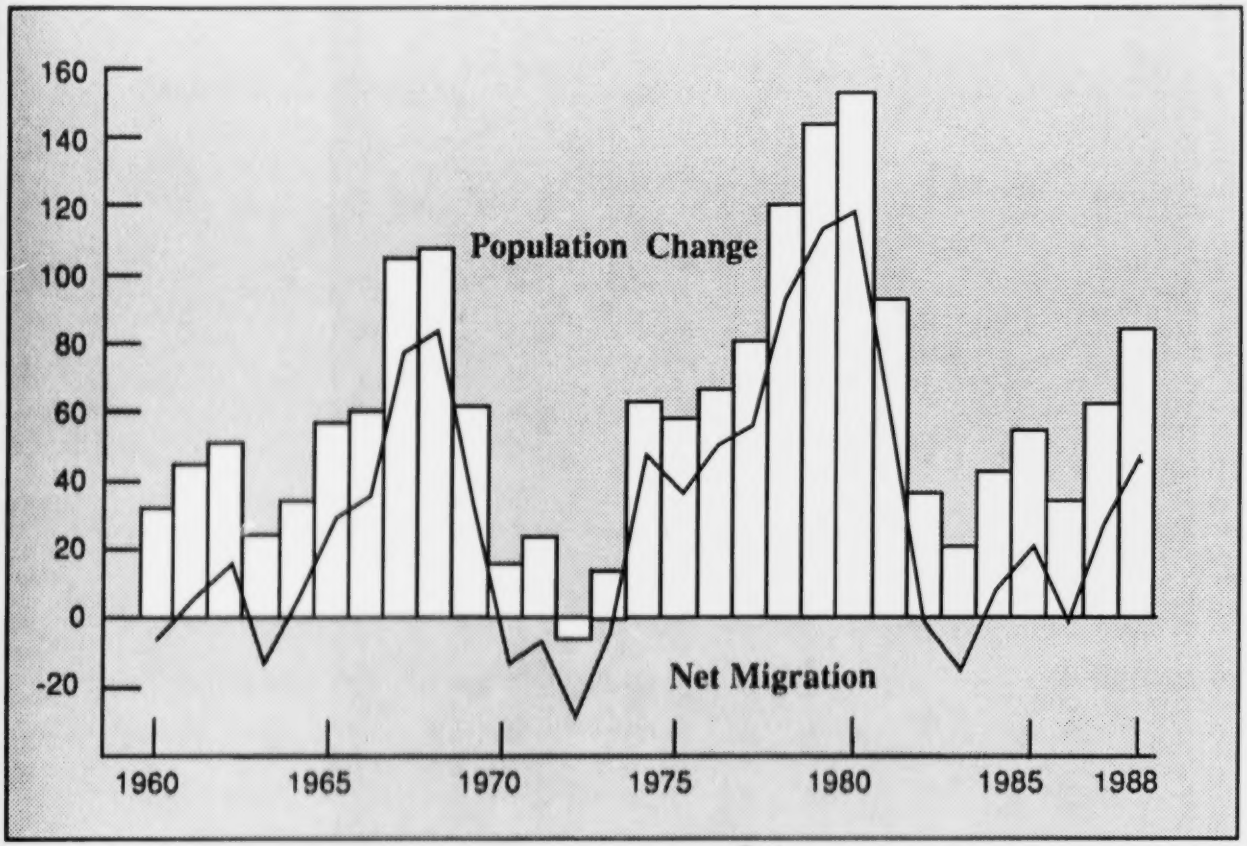

TABLE 6
Housing Units by Structure Type for Cities, Towns, and Counties
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County/Municipality	April 1, 1980 Total Housing Units	One Unit Structures	Two or More Unit Structures	Mobile Homes Trailers Specials*	April 1, 1988 Total Housing Units	One Unit Structures	Two or More Unit Structures	Mobile Homes Trailers Specials*
ADAMS	5,049	3,238	827	984	5,349	3,272	821	1,256
Unincorporated	2,115	1,144	153	818	2,374	1,165	152	1,057
Incorporated	2,934	2,094	674	166	2,975	2,107	669	199
Hatton	31	21	0	10	31	17	0	14
Lind	268	207	23	38	282	215	33	34
Othello	1,632	1,048	517	67	1,618	1,070	494	54
Ritzville	889	718	134	37	925	723	142	60
Washtucna	114	100	0	14	119	82	0	37
ASOTIN	7,043	5,047	1,225	771	7,573	5,265	1,297	1,011
Unincorporated	3,603	2,665	416	522	4,095	2,892	441	762
Incorporated	3,440	2,382	809	249	3,478	2,373	856	249
Asotin	363	254	58	51	404	283	75	46
Clarkston	3,077	2,128	751	198	3,074	2,090	781	203
BENTON	42,651	27,421	10,934	4,296	45,358	27,841	11,996	5,521
Unincorporated	11,176	7,871	1,248	2,057	11,127	7,309	772	3,046
Incorporated	31,475	19,550	9,686	2,239	34,231	20,532	11,224	2,475
Benton City	805	444	69	292	705	504	89	112
Kennewick	14,456	7,819	5,374	1,263	16,427	9,130	5,867	1,430
Prosser	1,559	1,147	367	45	1,711	1,223	397	91
Richland	13,387	9,297	3,687	403	13,858	8,737	4,665	456
West Richland	1,268	843	189	236	1,530	938	206	386
CHELAN	22,140	15,615	4,634	1,891	25,578	17,349	5,031	3,198
Unincorporated	11,249	8,160	1,489	1,600	13,261	9,061	1,517	2,683
Incorporated	10,891	7,455	3,145	291	12,317	8,288	3,514	515
Cashmere	957	727	200	30	1,016	763	218	35
Chelan	1,346	980	340	26	1,584	1,082	472	30
Entiat	204	108	58	38	193	109	34	50
Leavenworth	702	546	156	0	775	571	204	0
Wenatchee	7,682	5,094	2,391	197	8,749	5,763	2,586	400
CLALLAM	21,851	15,501	3,094	3,256	24,563	16,878	3,333	4,352
Unincorporated	11,808	8,467	675	2,666	14,008	9,618	717	3,673
Incorporated	10,043	7,034	2,419	590	10,555	7,260	2,616	679
Forks	1,158	697	226	235	1,135	625	250	260
Port Angeles	7,288	5,579	1,601	108	7,634	5,828	1,688	118
Sequim	1,597	758	592	247	1,786	807	678	301
CLARK	72,806	55,024	13,773	4,009	86,380	61,687	18,432	6,261
Unincorporated	47,137	39,062	4,575	3,500	59,201	45,443	8,266	5,492
Incorporated	25,669	15,962	9,198	509	27,179	16,244	10,166	769
Battleground	1,022	689	213	120	1,278	762	282	234
Camas	2,237	1,834	403	0	2,411	1,975	423	13
Lacenter	174	134	34	6	181	135	37	9
Ridgefield	403	350	50	3	455	368	50	37
Vancouver	19,894	11,677	7,966	251	20,780	11,675	8,832	273
Washougal	1,687	1,108	520	59	1,818	1,158	530	130
Woodland (part)	41	10	0	31	47	10	0	37
Yacolt	211	160	12	39	209	161	12	36
COLUMBIA	1,819	1,505	146	168	1,908	1,479	196	233
Unincorporated	599	469	23	107	711	533	23	155
Incorporated	1,220	1,036	123	61	1,197	946	173	78
Dayton	1,122	966	120	36	1,106	885	173	48
Starbuck	98	70	3	25	91	61	0	30
COWLITZ	31,748	22,755	6,749	2,244	33,454	23,605	6,944	2,905
Unincorporated	11,622	9,059	920	1,643	12,760	9,588	820	2,352
Incorporated	20,126	13,696	5,829	601	20,694	14,017	6,124	553
Castle Rock	865	618	211	36	889	625	211	53
Kalama	500	354	131	15	493	349	126	18
Kelso	4,794	3,166	1,417	211	4,905	3,240	1,435	230
Longview	13,118	8,985	3,825	308	13,448	9,211	4,022	215
Woodland (part)	849	573	245	31	959	592	330	37

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DOUGLAS	9,139	6,233	1,568	1,338	10,453	6,590	1,868	1,995
Unincorporated	6,924	4,877	1,054	993	8,048	5,278	1,247	1,523
Incorporated	2,215	1,356	514	345	2,405	1,312	621	472
Bridgeport	572	360	96	116	616	336	111	169
Coulee Dam (pt)	98	95	3	0	98	93	5	0
East Wenatchee	803	301	350	152	896	308	427	161
Mansfield	149	149	0	0	176	126	24	26
Rock Island	161	118	0	43	183	122	0	61
Waterville	432	333	65	34	436	327	54	55
FERRY	2,394	1,633	171	590	2,806	1,891	176	739
Unincorporated	1,960	1,355	99	506	2,376	1,605	103	668
Incorporated	434	278	72	84	430	286	73	71
Republic	434	278	72	84	430	286	73	71
FRANKLIN	13,316	7,825	3,419	2,072	14,314	8,132	3,508	2,674
Unincorporated	4,705	3,420	279	1,006	5,364	3,642	277	1,445
Incorporated	8,611	4,405	3,140	1,066	8,950	4,490	3,231	1,229
Connell	687	419	162	106	706	395	154	157
Kahlotus	104	53	18	33	93	43	6	44
Mesa	118	69	12	37	99	62	2	35
Pasco	7,702	3,864	2,948	890	8,052	3,990	3,069	993
GARFIELD	1,142	880	111	151	1,205	911	111	183
Unincorporated	363	290	21	52	421	323	21	77
Incorporated	779	590	90	99	784	588	90	106
Pomeroy	779	590	90	99	784	588	90	106
GRANT	20,271	13,463	3,502	3,306	23,110	13,994	3,723	5,393
Unincorporated	8,983	5,433	1,272	2,278	10,997	5,823	1,265	3,909
Incorporated	11,288	8,030	2,230	1,028	12,113	8,171	2,458	1,484
Coulee City	282	244	9	29	314	230	34	50
Coulee Dam (pt)	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	0
Electric City	391	305	29	57	421	322	31	68
Ephrata	2,327	1,765	430	132	2,446	1,826	430	190
George	115	58	7	50	119	46	12	61
Grand Coulee	655	377	139	139	659	382	141	136
Hartline	89	77	3	9	93	78	3	12
Krupp	31	25	2	4	27	27	0	0
Mattawa	133	52	12	69	223	62	32	129
Moses Lake	4,224	3,231	826	167	4,663	3,398	1,008	257
Quincy	1,355	888	301	166	1,390	842	290	258
Royal City	263	135	64	64	272	109	94	69
Soap Lake	840	444	323	73	875	461	281	133
Warden	480	343	83	54	507	309	101	97
Wilson Creek	102	85	2	15	103	79	0	24
GRAYS HARBOR	28,598	20,432	5,070	3,096	30,582	21,262	5,312	4,008
Unincorporated	10,182	7,431	500	2,251	11,395	7,808	573	3,014
Incorporated	18,416	13,001	4,570	845	19,187	13,454	4,739	994
Aberdeen	8,088	5,220	2,679	189	7,991	5,122	2,620	249
Cosmopolis	585	535	46	4	608	548	48	12
Elma	1,102	766	245	91	1,093	782	299	12
Hoquiam	3,988	3,107	825	56	4,055	3,061	865	129
Mccleary	576	497	68	11	644	505	125	14
Montesano	1,299	950	305	44	1,335	952	329	54
Oakville	222	191	6	25	229	186	4	39
Ocean Shores	1,308	911	209	188	1,903	1,469	230	204
Westport	1,248	824	187	237	1,329	829	219	281
ISLAND	20,872	15,889	2,796	2,187	25,642	18,742	3,510	3,390
Unincorporated	15,609	12,404	1,320	1,885	19,136	14,941	1,290	2,905
Incorporated	5,263	3,485	1,476	302	6,506	3,801	2,220	485
Coupeville	498	371	82	45	592	372	133	87
Langley	358	262	95	1	394	288	104	2
Oak Harbor	4,407	2,852	1,299	256	5,520	3,141	1,983	396

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JEFFERSON	8,826	6,194	1,249	1,383	10,770	7,315	1,445	2,010
Unincorporated	6,217	4,118	806	1,293	7,609	4,928	896	1,785
Incorporated	2,609	2,076	443	90	3,161	2,387	549	225
Port Townsend	2,609	2,076	443	90	3,161	2,387	549	225
KING	525,562	346,595	167,129	11,838	621,554	381,448	221,860	18,246
Unincorporated	183,267	145,775	30,627	6,865	221,321	165,489	44,743	11,089
Incorporated	342,295	200,820	136,502	4,973	400,233	215,959	177,117	7,157
Algona	564	496	33	35	652	523	39	90
Auburn	11,343	5,630	4,533	1,180	13,864	5,984	5,979	1,901
Beaux Arts	113	105	8	0	113	113	0	0
Bellevue	29,315	18,214	11,035	66	35,402	19,874	15,526	2
Black Diamond	456	336	31	89	556	376	32	148
Bothell (part)	3,064	1,914	670	480	4,253	2,050	1,352	851
Carnation	352	277	48	27	444	344	59	41
Clyde Hill	1,020	1,002	18	0	1,073	1,055	18	0
Des Moines	3,256	1,293	1,756	207	6,804	2,821	3,720	263
Duvall	272	200	42	30	714	512	67	135
Enumclaw	2,328	1,650	576	102	2,797	1,788	806	203
Hunts Point	185	185	0	0	187	187	0	0
Issaquah	2,270	1,457	729	84	3,265	1,734	1,406	125
Kent	10,942	4,977	5,190	775	15,740	5,386	9,357	997
Kirkland	8,262	4,840	3,379	43	16,737	8,729	7,857	151
Lake Forest Pk.	897	841	56	0	1,074	1,017	56	1
Medina	1,146	1,108	38	0	1,188	1,188	0	0
Mercer Island	7,800	6,243	1,547	10	8,234	6,696	1,528	10
Milton (part)	118	7	0	111	247	131	0	116
Normandy Park	1,440	1,349	91	0	2,346	1,967	378	1
North Bend	722	500	169	53	987	574	325	88
Pacific	906	632	229	45	1,240	710	367	163
Redmond	8,728	6,035	2,293	400	13,856	7,141	6,302	413
Renton	13,739	8,286	5,142	311	17,919	9,379	8,009	531
Seattle	230,039	131,657	97,484	898	246,845	133,691	112,269	885
Skykomish	157	139	4	14	158	143	4	11
Snoqualmie	551	461	77	13	616	498	93	25
Tukwila	1,938	614	1,324	0	2,540	968	1,566	6
Yarrow Point	372	372	0	0	382	380	2	0
KITSAP	57,327	41,834	11,728	3,765	71,645	48,930	14,911	7,804
Unincorporated	37,874	31,020	3,493	3,361	50,698	37,869	5,550	7,279
Incorporated	19,453	10,814	8,235	404	20,947	11,061	9,361	525
Bremerton	14,960	8,246	6,536	178	15,455	8,365	6,911	179
Port Orchard	1,950	1,237	659	54	2,025	1,205	742	78
Poulsbo	1,482	818	550	114	2,065	917	996	152
Winslow	1,061	513	490	58	1,402	574	712	116
KITTITAS	11,709	7,579	2,765	1,365	13,006	8,234	3,071	1,701
Unincorporated	4,845	3,488	399	958	5,834	4,081	441	1,312
Incorporated	6,864	4,091	2,366	407	7,172	4,153	2,630	389
Cle Elum	885	703	116	66	965	714	156	95
Ellensburg	4,892	2,451	2,218	223	5,021	2,502	2,374	145
Kittitas	316	220	24	72	362	224	60	78
Roslyn	580	557	7	16	610	555	37	18
South Cle Elum	191	160	1	30	214	158	3	53
KLICKITAT	6,498	4,532	930	1,036	7,599	4,897	963	1,739
Unincorporated	3,909	2,786	359	764	4,872	3,109	343	1,420
Incorporated	2,589	1,746	571	272	2,727	1,788	620	319
Bingen	335	238	83	14	296	220	55	21
Goldendale	1,452	1,012	258	182	1,558	1,053	280	225
White Salmon	802	496	230	76	873	515	285	73
LEWIS	23,119	17,197	2,853	3,069	25,019	18,002	3,112	3,905
Unincorporated	13,415	10,035	698	2,682	14,849	10,741	759	3,349
Incorporated	9,704	7,162	2,155	387	10,170	7,261	2,353	556
Centralia	5,039	3,662	1,226	151	5,297	3,727	1,359	211
Chehalis	2,527	1,841	676	10	2,679	1,895	759	25
Morton	542	396	110	36	524	375	91	58

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Lewis continued								
Mossyrock	217	150	23	44	232	153	23	56
Napavine	231	199	4	28	288	243	7	38
Pe Ell	261	220	9	32	251	215	2	34
Toledo	279	222	23	34	265	185	27	53
Vader	169	142	2	25	181	128	3	50
Winlock	439	330	82	27	453	340	82	31
LINCOLN	4,336	3,342	364	630	4,640	3,444	376	820
Unincorporated	1,730	1,266	107	357	1,990	1,365	106	519
Incorporated	2,606	2,076	257	273	2,650	2,079	270	301
Almira	166	137	9	20	167	135	9	23
Creston	139	83	16	40	127	85	11	31
Davenport	680	515	104	61	705	531	106	68
Harrington	236	200	19	17	224	177	20	27
Odessa	472	428	20	24	476	431	14	31
Reardan	208	138	33	37	213	142	36	35
Sprague	232	190	17	25	239	187	20	32
Wilbur	473	385	39	49	499	391	54	54
MASON	17,532	13,431	1,322	2,779	21,464	15,238	1,422	4,804
Unincorporated	14,464	11,075	719	2,670	18,258	12,867	762	4,629
Incorporated	3,068	2,356	603	109	3,206	2,371	660	175
Shelton	3,068	2,356	603	109	3,206	2,371	660	175
OKANOGAN	13,599	9,621	1,877	2,101	15,501	10,427	2,020	3,054
Unincorporated	7,386	5,048	894	1,444	9,097	5,836	909	2,352
Incorporated	6,213	4,573	983	657	6,404	4,591	1,111	702
Brewster	604	397	101	106	634	376	137	121
Conconully	119	82	6	31	136	96	0	40
Coulee Dam (pt)	471	388	37	46	444	385	57	2
Elmer City	139	125	4	10	136	90	13	33
Nespelem	106	83	7	16	106	84	7	15
Okanogan	970	681	215	74	1,012	695	231	86
Omak	1,714	1,319	310	85	1,768	1,331	336	101
Oroville	692	505	144	43	725	520	146	59
Pateros	256	194	33	29	276	201	33	42
Riverside	102	70	6	26	98	75	0	23
Tonasket	403	296	63	44	441	299	92	50
Twisp	421	272	47	102	402	274	49	79
Winthrop	216	161	10	45	226	165	10	51
PACIFIC	10,949	8,218	1,035	1,696	12,271	8,702	1,169	2,400
Unincorporated	7,733	5,845	440	1,448	8,670	6,228	339	2,103
Incorporated	3,216	2,373	595	248	3,601	2,474	830	297
Ilwaco	320	244	53	23	407	304	58	45
Long Beach	869	622	136	111	1,096	632	335	129
Raymond	1,285	938	303	44	1,342	969	314	59
South Bend	742	569	103	70	756	569	123	64
PEND OREILLE	4,688	3,567	437	684	5,342	3,824	464	1,054
Unincorporated	3,355	2,592	196	567	4,053	2,898	212	943
Incorporated	1,333	975	241	117	1,289	926	252	111
Cusick	103	86	9	8	108	84	11	13
Ione	237	168	23	46	216	162	11	43
Metaline	95	87	0	8	89	73	0	16
Metaline Falls	191	100	83	8	188	92	92	4
Newport	707	534	126	47	688	515	138	35
PIERCE	187,443	129,289	47,718	10,436	220,572	144,065	58,924	17,583
Unincorporated	98,536	66,635	22,228	9,673	120,034	77,130	26,276	16,628
Incorporated	88,907	62,654	25,490	763	100,538	66,935	32,648	955
Bonney Lake	1,875	1,418	65	392	2,433	1,921	69	443
Buckley	886	736	138	12	1,019	825	175	19
Carbonado	154	137	5	12	165	145	0	20
Du Pont	226	157	69	0	224	172	52	0
Eatonville	412	325	47	40	537	375	94	68
Fife	844	458	379	7	1,630	493	1,084	53

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Pierce continued								
Fircrest	2,057	1,693	364	0	2,212	1,710	502	0
Gig Harbor	1,187	624	556	7	1,404	688	673	43
Milton (part)	1,091	959	130	2	1,669	1,068	587	14
Orting	624	540	76	8	679	562	78	39
Puyallup	7,018	5,686	1,277	55	8,746	6,408	2,292	46
Roy	161	114	8	39	139	84	6	49
Ruston	300	240	60	0	307	247	60	0
South Prairie	74	70	0	4	96	82	0	14
Steilacoom	1,949	1,325	624	0	2,250	1,473	777	0
Sumner	2,149	1,362	764	23	2,650	1,532	1,020	98
Tacoma	67,759	46,694	20,922	143	74,229	49,017	25,179	33
Wilkeson	141	116	6	19	149	133	0	16
SAN JUAN	5,310	4,231	646	433	6,627	5,218	795	614
Unincorporated	4,692	3,821	497	374	5,808	4,756	569	483
Incorporated	618	410	149	59	819	462	226	131
Friday Harbor	618	410	149	59	819	462	226	131
SKAGIT	27,775	21,454	4,167	2,154	31,640	23,397	5,188	3,055
Unincorporated	13,488	10,711	1,154	1,623	15,183	11,589	1,221	2,373
Incorporated	14,287	10,743	3,013	531	16,457	11,808	3,967	682
Anacortes	3,917	3,205	653	59	4,675	3,683	857	135
Burlington	1,668	1,248	393	27	1,787	1,280	464	43
Concrete	257	231	20	6	307	237	57	13
Hamilton	116	86	14	16	98	76	6	16
La Conner	314	230	53	31	317	229	50	38
Lyman	124	116	2	6	139	117	5	17
Mount Vernon	5,494	3,705	1,491	298	6,605	4,208	2,088	309
Sedro Woolley	2,397	1,922	387	88	2,529	1,978	440	111
SKAMANIA	3,435	2,461	322	652	3,870	2,654	292	924
Unincorporated	2,774	2,044	161	569	3,242	2,220	159	863
Incorporated	661	417	161	83	628	434	133	61
North Bonneville	183	102	22	59	172	118	18	36
Stevenson	478	315	139	24	456	316	115	25
SNOHOMISH	131,206	94,818	26,215	10,173	167,375	111,419	39,503	16,453
Unincorporated	68,994	54,732	5,890	8,372	87,269	64,750	9,021	13,498
Incorporated	62,212	40,086	20,325	1,801	80,106	46,669	30,482	2,955
Arlington	1,299	822	378	99	1,497	913	443	141
Bothell (part)	0	0	0	0	120	120	0	0
Brier	946	924	17	5	1,805	1,780	0	25
Darrington	436	345	48	43	460	344	34	82
Edmonds	10,706	7,533	3,072	101	12,540	8,250	4,187	103
Everett	23,912	14,493	8,768	651	28,470	15,481	11,818	1,171
Gold Bar	423	261	31	131	371	189	18	164
Granite Falls	377	285	65	27	439	284	123	32
Index	106	95	3	8	93	90	0	3
Lake Stevens	643	512	131	0	983	741	234	8
Lynnwood	9,220	4,816	4,032	372	11,184	5,404	5,206	574
Marysville	2,607	1,429	1,036	142	3,694	1,695	1,727	272
Mill Creek	0	0	0	0	2,369	1,147	1,221	1
Monroe	1,193	829	351	13	1,517	859	622	36
Mtlake Terrace	6,150	4,627	1,424	99	7,601	4,818	2,684	99
Mukilteo	574	497	77	0	2,674	1,735	934	5
Snohomish	2,075	1,413	633	29	2,380	1,521	827	32
Stanwood	617	475	142	0	734	483	249	2
Sultan	654	460	113	81	836	479	153	204
Woodway	274	270	4	0	339	336	2	1
SPOKANE	137,673	97,953	32,431	7,289	150,796	103,596	36,808	10,392
Unincorporated	55,128	41,434	8,140	5,554	63,225	45,230	9,679	8,316
Incorporated	82,545	56,519	24,291	1,735	87,571	58,366	27,129	2,076
Airway Heights	762	300	184	278	988	337	195	456
Cheney	2,601	1,326	1,145	130	2,746	1,208	1,373	165
Deer Park	871	604	160	107	1,027	688	183	156
Fairfield	225	171	33	21	221	164	28	29

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Spokane continued								
Latah	83	80	0	3	83	75	2	6
Medical Lake	904	573	237	94	992	626	251	115
Millwood	728	639	81	8	720	621	89	10
Rockford	177	140	6	31	167	132	4	31
Spangle	110	78	13	19	110	76	6	28
Spokane	76,041	52,581	22,430	1,030	80,469	54,411	24,998	1,060
Waverly	43	27	2	14	48	28	0	20
STEVENS	12,550	9,450	1,159	1,941	14,191	10,226	1,273	2,692
Unincorporated	9,028	6,882	559	1,587	10,400	7,587	556	2,257
Incorporated	3,522	2,568	600	354	3,791	2,639	717	435
Chewelah	820	589	120	111	908	622	164	122
Colville	1,897	1,359	380	158	2,014	1,381	424	209
Kettle Falls	443	316	94	33	528	369	122	37
Marcus	62	55	3	4	64	48	2	14
Northport	186	166	3	17	164	148	5	11
Springdale	114	83	0	31	113	71	0	42
THURSTON	50,712	33,972	11,112	5,628	63,068	40,035	13,838	9,195
Unincorporated	27,899	19,674	3,550	4,675	35,239	23,647	3,940	7,652
Incorporated	22,813	14,298	7,562	953	27,829	16,388	9,898	1,543
Bucoda	213	187	4	22	213	187	4	22
Lacey	5,838	3,461	2,174	203	7,624	4,312	2,785	527
Olympia	12,565	7,815	4,299	451	14,625	8,548	5,512	565
Rainier	305	195	17	93	356	212	23	121
Tenino	502	390	87	25	536	416	97	23
Tumwater	2,920	1,901	876	143	3,916	2,299	1,353	264
Yelm	470	349	105	16	559	414	124	21
WAHKIAKUM	1,504	1,262	85	157	1,569	1,284	108	177
Unincorporated	1,245	1,055	34	156	1,310	1,079	57	174
Incorporated	259	207	51	1	259	205	51	3
Cathlamet	259	207	51	1	259	205	51	3
WALLA WALLA	18,138	12,792	4,000	1,346	19,317	12,969	4,590	1,758
Unincorporated	5,368	4,199	482	687	5,671	4,284	458	929
Incorporated	12,770	8,593	3,518	659	13,646	8,685	4,132	829
College Place	1,987	1,164	707	116	2,343	1,125	960	258
Prescott	148	78	4	66	126	64	2	60
Waitsburg	462	373	19	70	483	376	19	88
Walla Walla	10,173	6,978	2,788	407	10,694	7,120	3,151	423
WHATCOM	47,479	33,725	9,983	3,771	52,574	36,436	11,003	5,135
Unincorporated	22,770	17,616	2,014	3,140	25,802	19,476	2,100	4,226
Incorporated	24,709	16,109	7,969	631	26,772	16,960	8,903	909
Bellingham	19,750	12,446	6,785	519	20,705	12,721	7,361	623
Blaine	1,071	700	305	66	1,140	715	359	66
Everson	376	268	100	8	502	325	129	48
Ferndale	1,465	1,051	414	0	1,968	1,320	512	136
Lynden	1,573	1,278	287	8	1,984	1,489	487	8
Nooksack	158	147	4	7	168	162	0	6
Sumas	316	219	74	23	305	228	55	22
WHITMAN	14,418	8,011	5,302	1,105	15,124	8,015	5,742	1,367
Unincorporated	3,101	2,678	172	251	3,263	2,716	213	334
Incorporated	11,317	5,333	5,130	854	11,861	5,299	5,529	1,033
Albion	276	149	16	111	291	132	22	137
Colfax	1,256	766	408	82	1,322	778	447	97
Colton	128	106	8	14	127	104	8	15
Endicott	167	153	0	14	167	150	0	17
Farmington	74	72	0	2	80	72	0	8
Garfield	295	196	52	47	282	182	39	61
La Crosse	182	165	4	13	188	144	11	33
Lamont	35	30	0	5	36	27	0	9
Malden	107	101	0	6	110	101	0	9
Oakesdale	200	170	9	21	199	171	9	19
Palouse	448	358	42	48	441	322	42	77

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Whitman continued								
Pullman	7,142	2,223	4,535	384	7,594	2,298	4,863	433
Rosalia	253	217	13	23	258	203	24	31
St. John	253	201	12	40	259	200	12	47
Tekoa	365	317	23	25	376	318	45	13
Uniontown	136	109	8	19	131	97	7	27
YAKIMA	66,851	48,797	12,224	5,830	73,310	51,114	13,327	8,869
Unincorporated	31,111	23,670	3,100	4,341	35,686	25,241	3,325	7,120
Incorporated	35,740	25,127	9,124	1,489	37,624	25,873	10,002	1,749
Grandview	2,107	1,456	340	311	2,415	1,660	404	351
Granger	621	450	94	77	667	464	110	93
Harrah	119	100	13	6	124	101	13	10
Mabton	384	307	49	28	425	325	47	53
Moxee	250	229	21	0	287	237	48	2
Naches	271	223	4	44	279	228	9	42
Selah	1,667	1,206	421	40	1,853	1,333	485	35
Sunnyside	3,302	2,340	815	147	3,610	2,400	993	217
Tieton	234	199	17	18	264	185	40	39
Toppenish	2,235	1,818	367	50	2,322	1,834	428	60
Union Gap	1,335	843	119	373	1,388	871	119	398
Wapato	1,193	915	278	0	1,198	920	278	0
Yakima	21,372	14,559	6,467	346	22,074	14,819	6,891	364
Zillah	650	482	119	49	718	496	137	85
STATE TOTAL	1,689,478	1,172,786	405,072	111,620	1,967,119	1,289,787	508,462	168,870
Unincorporated	776,364	590,306	100,763	85,295	934,657	670,145	130,118	134,394
Incorporated	913,114	582,480	304,309	26,325	1,032,462	619,642	378,344	34,476

Notes:

1. The county and municipal housing units shown for 1980 are, with a few exceptions, the 1980 federal census final counts. Federal census counts have been adjusted for annexations from January 1, 1980 to April 1, 1980.

2. Mill Creek incorporated in September 1983.

3. (*) The mobile home and trailer data for most unincorporated areas exclude changes in mobile home parks for all or part of the 1980-88 reporting period. Mobile home and trailer losses tend to be underreported. The number of mobile homes and trailers in areas that have experienced a large outmigration (such as Benton and Grays Harbor counties) tend to be overestimated.

4. Housing unit estimates are revised on an annual basis to include the most current data available.

5. In a few cases, the 1980 federal census data have been proven to be in error by subsequent censuses (e.g., Gold Bar, La Center and Palouse.

6. In the 1980 federal census, 15 to 20 percent of the mobile homes and house trailers in Washington were classified as single family houses. A negative figure in the mobile home/trailer category indicates a city has lost more mobile homes/trailers than were counted in the 1980 census. When using the housing data, negative numbers should be subtracted from single family housing.

Annexations, Incorporations, and Municipal Boundary Changes

The Office of Financial Management (OFM) is directed to certify the total number of persons and housing units in annexed areas. Municipalities must conduct a census of all population and housing in annexed areas. Annexation censuses provide accurate counts of population and housing, occupancy, and average household size. While OFM certifies the annexation census it does not certify that the annexation is free from error or that it is legal.

The annexation census data are used in producing OFM's annual April 1 population estimates. In addition, municipal population estimates are updated quarterly to include all populations annexed from the base year estimate to the current date. State revenue allocations to municipalities are made on the basis of these adjusted population estimates.

The certified figures are required by many state and federal agencies. Geographers at the Bureau of the Census and the state's Department of Transportation use the certified data to update municipal boundary maps.

Since 1980, the total incorporated area of the state has increased by 118 square miles. More than 75 percent of the 266 incorporated cities and towns in the state have made boundary changes. These municipalities have annexed 1,094 parcels of land. The parcels included 23,343 housing units which were homes for 54,677 people. The current incorporated land area is now slightly greater than 1,115 square miles. This amounts to 1.67 percent of the total land area in the state.

Between 1980 and 1988, one city, Mill Creek in Snohomish County, has incorporated. Two cities, Roy in Pierce County and Port Orchard in Kitsap County, have repealed approved annexations.

Five cities annexed over 2,000 persons since 1980: Kirkland, 16,476; Des Moines, 5,014; Kennewick, 3,655; Bellevue, 2,909; and Mukilteo, 2,834.

In some cases all of the population growth can be credited to annexed areas. Wenatchee, in Chelan County, and Normandy Park, in King County, recorded increases in residents that equaled the number of persons annexed; the population within the original city limits remained relatively stable.

In Snohomish County, Mukilteo's population tripled when it annexed 2,834 people in one annexation. Population and housing growth in the annexed area has contributed to the further population growth of 1,400 since the annexation. Des Moines, in King County, and Lacey, in Thurston County, show population growth in the old city limits; only 44 to 74 percent of their growth is the result of annexations.

Some cities, in economically depressed areas, continue to show overall population declines in spite of fairly large annexed populations. Kennewick, in Benton County, has annexed 3,655 people. At the same time the total population has only increased by 2,783, an indication that the city has actually been losing population over time.

More than 50 percent of the total 1980 to 1988 population growth for 27 cities was the result of annexations. For 26 cities, population annexed during the eight year period totaled more than 5 percent of their April 1, 1980 population.

TABLE 7

Annexations, Incorporations, and Other Municipal Boundary Changes for Counties, Incorporated Cities and Towns, and the State of Washington
April 2, 1980 - April 1, 1988

Municipality By County	Annexations Approved Between April 2, 1987 - April 1, 1988					Annexations Approved Between April 2, 1980 - April 1, 1988				
	No. of Parcels	Area in Sq. Miles	Housing Units Total	Housing Units Occupied	Annexed Population	No. of Parcels	Area in Sq. Miles	Housing Units Total	Housing Units Occupied	Annexed Population
ADAMS	0	0.000	0	0	0	5	0.155	4	4	15
Hatton	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Lind	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Othello	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.063	0	0	0
Ritzville	0	0.000	0	0	0	4	0.092	4	4	15
Washtucna	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
ASOTIN	0	0.000	0	0	0	4	0.019	0	0	0
Asotin	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Clarkston	0	0.000	0	0	0	4	0.019	0	0	0
BENTON	3	0.436	2	2	6	71	21.101	1,693	1,573	4,367
Benton City	0	0.000	0	0	0	6	0.241	18	16	52
Kennewick	2	0.430	2	2	6	51	2.761	1,409	1,294	3,655
Prosser	1	0.006	0	0	0	7	0.402	7	7	20
Richland	0	0.000	0	0	0	3	0.162	1	1	2
West Richland	0	0.000	0	0	0	4	17.535	258	255	638
CHELAN	9	0.564	157	150	423	50	1.946	691	663	1,696
Cashmere	0	0.000	0	0	0	9	0.138	19	17	45
Chelan	0	0.000	0	0	0	3	0.085	0	0	0
Entiat	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.019	0	0	0
Leavenworth	1	0.006	0	0	0	2	0.112	0	0	0
Wenatchee	8	0.558	157	150	423	35	1.591	672	646	1,651
CLALLAM	3	0.030	18	17	30	31	1.429	70	65	133
Forks	2	0.010	3	2	5	6	0.110	4	3	8
Port Angeles	1	0.020	15	15	25	9	0.950	41	40	81
Sequim	0	0.000	0	0	0	16	0.368	25	22	44
CLARK	3	0.020	10	9	35	26	5.798	210	193	574
Battleground	0	0.000	0	0	0	6	0.718	12	12	30
Camas	0	0.000	0	0	0	8	4.652	153	137	414
LaCenter	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Ridgefield	1	0.009	6	6	24	2	0.012	6	6	24
Vancouver	1	0.002	1	0	0	8	0.406	29	28	73
Washougal	1	0.008	3	3	11	2	0.011	10	10	33
Woodland (part)	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Yacolt	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
COLUMBIA	0	0.000	0	0	0	4	0.120	0	0	0
Dayton	0	0.000	0	0	0	4	0.120	0	0	0
Starbuck	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
COWLITZ	2	0.036	0	0	0	15	1.721	192	183	367
Castle Rock	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Kalama	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.016	0	0	0
Kelso	0	0.000	0	0	0	4	1.344	5	5	9
Longview	0	0.000	0	0	0	4	0.130	183	174	345
Woodland (part)	2	0.036	0	0	0	6	0.232	4	4	13
DOUGLAS	0	0.000	0	0	0	6	0.099	7	4	15
Bridgeport	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Coulee Dam (part)	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
East Wenatchee	0	0.000	0	0	0	4	0.082	6	3	10
Mansfield	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Rock Island	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.006	0	0	0
Waterville	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.011	1	1	5
FERRY	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Republic	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
FRANKLIN	0	0.000	0	0	0	6	8.590	52	49	99
Connell	0	0.000	0	0	0	2	0.013	1	1	8
Kahlotus	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Mesa	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	1.077	0	0	0
Pasco	0	0.000	0	0	0	3	7.500	51	48	91

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GARFIELD	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Pomeroy	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
GRANT	3	0.095	2	2	5	31	1.826	11	11	23
Coulee City	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Coulee Dam (part)	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Electric City	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.004	1	1	2
Ephrata	0	0.000	0	0	0	10	0.198	1	1	2
George	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Grand Coulee	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.005	1	1	2
Hartline	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Krupp	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Mattawa	1	0.041	0	0	0	2	0.119	0	0	0
Moses Lake	1	0.039	2	2	5	13	1.329	8	8	17
Quincy	1	0.016	0	0	0	4	0.171	0	0	0
Royal City	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Soap Lake	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Warden	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Wilson Creek	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
GRAYS HARBOR	1	0.013	2	2	3	16	0.461	16	16	43
Aberdeen	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Cosmopolis	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.072	11	11	33
Elma	1	0.013	2	2	3	4	0.050	4	4	8
Hoquiam	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
McCleary	0	0.000	0	0	0	2	0.008	0	0	0
Montesano	0	0.000	0	0	0	7	0.325	1	1	2
Oakville	0	0.000	0	0	0	2	0.005	0	0	0
Ocean Shores	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Westport	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
ISLAND	0	0.000	0	0	0	8	0.353	52	41	81
Coupeville	0	0.000	0	0	0	3	0.042	2	1	2
Langley	0	0.000	0	0	0	2	0.062	1	1	2
Oak Harbor	0	0.000	0	0	0	3	0.248	49	39	77
JEFFERSON	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.027	3	3	5
Port Townsend	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.027	3	3	5
KING	42	6.079	8,408	7,995	19,628	198	16.958	12,866	12,181	30,751
Algona	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Auburn	0	0.000	0	0	0	15	0.490	53	50	103
Beaux Arts	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Bellevue	8	0.853	715	700	2,105	18	1.471	981	934	2,909
Black Diamond	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Bothell (part)	2	0.008	2	1	1	28	0.760	37	34	106
Carnation	1	0.016	1	1	2	5	0.544	9	8	21
Clyde Hill	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Des Moines	0	0.000	0	0	0	3	1.491	2,007	1,884	5,014
Duvall	5	0.080	1	0	0	7	0.111	1	0	0
Enumclaw	1	0.036	1	1	2	9	0.299	35	34	101
Hunts Point	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Issaquah	1	0.040	1	1	2	6	0.591	80	75	172
Kent	3	0.742	364	354	901	12	1.226	643	607	1,631
Kirkland	4	3.516	7,121	6,747	16,119	15	4.057	7,266	6,884	16,476
Lake Forest Park	0	0.000	0	0	0	7	0.113	137	131	334
Medina	1	0.005	7	6	15	1	0.005	7	6	15
Mercer Island	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Milton (part)	1	0.009	1	1	2	1	0.009	1	1	2
Normandy Park	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.389	774	754	1,827
North Bend	2	0.436	94	90	226	6	1.243	115	109	279
Pacific	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Redmond	1	0.007	2	2	5	19	1.949	170	150	383
Renton	9	0.351	96	89	245	29	1.039	168	152	405
Seattle	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0

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King, cont.										
Skykomish	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Snoqualmie	0	0.000	0	0	0	2	0.847	39	38	94
Tukwila	3	-0.019	2	2	3	14	0.324	343	330	879
Yarrow Point	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
KITSAP	6	3.424	119	106	256	28	4.718	182	164	413
Bremerton	5	3.403	117	105	254	9	3.576	146	131	308
Port Orchard	1	0.021	2	1	2	9	0.211	15	13	50
Poulsbo	0	0.000	0	0	0	8	0.928	20	19	54
Winslow	0	0.000	0	0	0	2	0.002	1	1	1
KITTITAS	0	0.000	0	0	0	16	3.629	7	7	19
Cle Elum	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Ellensburg	0	0.000	0	0	0	15	0.449	7	7	19
Kittitas	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Roslyn	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	3.180	0	0	0
South Cle Elum	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
KLICKITAT	5	0.315	46	41	148	17	0.352	53	47	166
Bingen	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Goldendale	0	0.000	0	0	0	11	0.034	6	6	18
White Salmon	5	0.315	46	41	148	6	0.319	47	41	148
LEWIS	1	0.023	1	1	1	17	1.120	125	120	305
Centralia	1	0.023	1	1	1	3	0.137	33	30	47
Chehalis	0	0.000	0	0	0	5	0.744	66	65	177
Morton	0	0.000	0	0	0	3	0.050	16	16	52
Mossyrock	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Napavine	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Pe Ell	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Toledo	0	0.000	0	0	0	2	0.019	0	0	0
Vader	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Winlock	0	0.000	0	0	0	4	0.170	10	9	29
LINCOLN	0	0.000	0	0	0	7	0.206	0	0	0
Almira	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Creston	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.006	0	0	0
Davenport	0	0.000	0	0	0	5	0.196	0	0	0
Harrington	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Odessa	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Reardan	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Sprague	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Wilbur	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.003	0	0	0
MASON	0	0.000	0	0	0	2	0.022	17	17	35
Shelton	0	0.000	0	0	0	2	0.022	17	17	35
OKANOGAN	0	0.000	0	0	0	12	0.094	6	6	16
Brewster	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.000	0	0	0
Conconully	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.003	0	0	0
Coulee Dam (part)	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Elmer City	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Nespelem	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Okanogan	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.000	0	0	0
Omak	0	0.000	0	0	0	4	0.005	4	4	10
Oroville	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Pateros	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Riverside	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Tonasket	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Twisp	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Winthrop	0	0.000	0	0	0	5	0.084	2	2	6

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PACIFIC	0	0.000	0	0	0	10	1.060	256	103	250
Ilwaco	0	0.000	0	0	0	2	0.339	61	51	130
Long Beach	0	0.000	0	0	0	3	0.072	162	23	46
Raymond	0	0.000	0	0	0	4	0.512	33	29	74
South Bend	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.138	0	0	0
PEND OREILLE	0	0.000	0	0	0	11	0.128	14	11	39
Cusick	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Ione	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Metaline	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Metaline Falls	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Newport	0	0.000	0	0	0	11	0.128	14	11	39
PIERCE	11	0.371	300	254	535	63	4.645	642	562	1,257
Bonney Lake	0	0.000	0	0	0	17	0.700	15	6	17
Buckley	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.355	46	45	103
Carbonado	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Du Pont	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.047	0	0	0
Eatonville	0	0.000	0	0	0	2	0.169	19	17	47
Fife	0	0.000	0	0	0	3	0.146	79	72	158
Fircrest	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.001	0	0	0
Gig Harbor	5	0.019	8	7	22	11	0.038	13	10	29
Milton (part)	2	0.034	8	8	23	3	0.345	97	84	186
Orting	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Puyallup	3	0.278	213	171	309	9	1.130	247	204	393
Roy	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	-0.046	- 22	- 19	- 35
Ruston	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
South Prairie	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Steilacoom	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Sumner	1	0.039	71	68	181	12	1.672	134	130	322
Tacoma	0	0.000	0	0	0	2	0.088	14	13	37
Wilkeson	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
SAN JUAN	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Friday Harbor	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
SKAGIT	0	0.000	0	0	0	27	1.817	22	22	57
Anacortes	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.120	3	3	5
Burlington	0	0.000	0	0	0	7	0.055	8	8	21
Concrete	0	0.000	0	0	0	2	0.209	1	1	5
Hamilton	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
La Conner	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Lyman	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Mount Vernon	0	0.000	0	0	0	13	1.341	9	9	22
Sedro-Woolley	0	0.000	0	0	0	4	0.091	1	1	4
SKAMANIA	1	0.054	5	4	9	2	0.305	7	6	19
North Bonneville	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.252	2	2	10
Stevenson	1	0.054	5	4	9	1	0.054	5	4	9
SNOHOMISH	29	0.899	403	378	1,096	151	12.555	4,383	3,833	9,718
Arlington	0	0.000	0	0	0	4	0.120	1	1	4
Bothell (part)	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.004	1	1	2
Brier	2	0.009	1	1	3	5	0.034	2	2	4
Darrington	0	0.000	0	0	0	4	0.220	35	32	74
Edmonds	1	0.056	63	63	160	9	0.237	168	163	393
Everett	4	0.162	54	54	166	20	5.668	267	257	714
Gold Bar	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Granite Falls	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.004	0	0	0
Index	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Lake Stevens	2	0.010	0	0	0	7	0.165	9	9	26
Lynnwood	3	0.139	203	196	573	15	0.676	439	422	1,139
Marysville	0	0.000	0	0	0	9	0.501	272	260	630
Mill Creek	1	0.137	38	23	70	2	2.058	1,566	1,399	3,425
Monroe	6	0.359	23	22	76	27	0.751	42	37	109
Mountlake Terrace	9	0.025	21	19	48	38	0.252	84	77	210
Mukilteo	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	1.578	1,433	1,122	2,834

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Snohomish, cont.										
Snohomish	1	0.002	0	0	0	4	0.105	62	49	146
Stanwood	0	0.000	0	0	0	4	0.183	2	2	8
Sultan	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Woodway	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
SPOKANE	2	1.046	3	0	0	27	11.427	188	170	490
Airway Heights	1	1.031	2	0	0	3	3.188	45	35	106
Cheney	0	0.000	0	0	0	3	0.175	1	1	3
Deer Park	1	0.015	1	0	0	5	3.291	6	5	9
Fairfield	0	0.000	0	0	0	4	0.027	1	1	2
Latah	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Medical Lake	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.188	2	2	3
Millwood	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Rockford	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Spangle	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.028	1	1	3
Spokane	0	0.000	0	0	0	10	4.530	132	125	364
Waverly	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
STEVENS	1	0.006	1	1	2	23	1.704	65	61	154
Chewelah	1	0.006	1	1	2	6	1.051	11	10	26
Colville	0	0.000	0	0	0	11	0.509	36	35	89
Kettle Falls	0	0.000	0	0	0	5	0.082	18	16	39
Marcus	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.063	0	0	0
Northport	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Springdale	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
THURSTON	7	0.190	10	10	29	65	7.485	731	641	1,463
Bucoda	0	0.000	0	0	0	2	0.069	0	0	0
Lacey	1	0.111	2	2	3	11	2.742	518	458	1,088
Olympia	1	0.014	0	0	0	20	0.682	76	70	127
Rainier	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Tenino	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.026	7	4	8
Tumwater	3	0.025	1	1	1	24	3.847	123	102	215
Yelm	2	0.040	7	7	25	7	0.119	7	7	25
WAHKIAKUM	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Cathlamet	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
WALLA WALLA	10	0.043	18	18	53	54	0.649	122	118	318
College Place	1	0.000	1	1	1	15	0.207	36	35	82
Prescott	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Waitsburg	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Walla Walla	9	0.043	17	17	52	39	0.442	86	83	236
WHATCOM	6	0.213	15	14	37	24	1.289	231	195	421
Bellingham	2	0.038	0	0	0	5	0.171	2	2	5
Blaine	0	0.000	0	0	0	2	0.016	1	1	2
Everson	0	0.000	0	0	0	3	0.169	1	1	3
Ferndale	1	0.015	10	10	26	6	0.700	203	171	371
Lynden	2	0.059	5	4	11	4	0.061	21	17	29
Nooksack	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Sumas	1	0.102	0	0	0	4	0.172	3	3	11
WHITMAN	2	0.011	0	0	0	15	0.595	9	7	14
Albion	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Colfax	0	0.000	0	0	0	4	0.021	3	2	5
Colton	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Endicott	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Farmington	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Garfield	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
La Crosse	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Lamont	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Malden	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Oakesdale	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Palouse	0	0.000	0	0	0	2	0.000	2	2	3
Pullman	2	0.011	0	0	0	8	0.569	4	3	6

TABLE 7-Continued

Annexations, Incorporations, and Other Municipal Boundary Changes for Counties, Incorporated Cities and Towns, and the State of Washington
April 2, 1980 - April 1, 1988

Municipality By County	Annexations Approved Between April 2, 1987 - April 1, 1988					Annexations Approved Between April 2, 1980 - April 1, 1988				
	No. of Parcels	Area in Sq. Miles	Housing Units Total	Housing Units Occupied	Annexed Population	No. of Parcels	Area in Sq. Miles	Housing Units Total	Housing Units Occupied	Annexed Population
Whitman, cont.										
Rosalia	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
St. John	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.004	0	0	0
Tekoa	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Uniontown	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
YAKIMA	4	0.200	83	75	230	51	3.694	416	384	1,354
Grandview	0	0.000	0	0	0	10	0.510	142	136	496
Granger	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Harrah	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Mabton	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.000	0	0	0
Moxee	1	0.009	1	1	1	3	0.066	2	2	7
Naches	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.004	3	3	12
Selah	3	0.191	82	74	229	6	0.413	83	75	231
Sunnyside	0	0.000	0	0	0	10	0.454	51	50	148
Tieton	0	0.000	0	0	0	9	0.213	7	6	13
Toppenish	0	0.000	0	0	0	1	0.033	10	8	24
Union Gap	0	0.000	0	0	0	2	1.835	54	47	128
Wapato	0	0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0
Yakima	0	0.000	0	0	0	6	0.105	61	54	286
Zillah	0	0.000	0	0	0	2	0.059	3	3	9
STATE TOTAL	151	14.066	9,603	9,079	22,526	1,094	118.09	23,343	21,460	54,677

Notes:

1. Annexed areas of less than .001 square miles are shown as 0.000 square miles.
2. All boundary changes are due to annexation unless otherwise noted.
3. The city of Mill Creek (Snohomish County) incorporated in September 1983.

TABLE 8
Change in Population, Housing Units, and Land Area for Cities/Towns
April 1, 1980 to April 1, 1988

Municipality	Population				Housing Units				Area in Square Miles		
	1980	1988	Change	Annexed* 1980-88	1980	1988	Change	Annexed* 1980-88	1980**	1988	Annexed* 1980-88
ADAMS											
Hatton	81	82	1	0	31	31	0	0	0.360	0.360	0.000
Lind	567	590	23	0	268	282	14	0	1.250	1.250	0.000
Othello	4,522	4,580	58	0	1,632	1,618	- 14	0	1.890	1.952	0.063
Ritzville	1,800	1,845	45	15	889	925	36	4	1.250	1.342	0.092
Washtucna	266	250	- 16	0	114	119	5	0	0.500	0.500	0.000
ASOTIN											
Asotin	946	1,025	79	0	363	404	41	0	1.000	1.000	0.000
Clarkston	6,903	6,700	- 203	0	3,077	3,074	- 3	0	2.000	2.019	0.019
BENTON											
Benton City	2,087	1,800	- 287	52	805	705	- 100	18	13.820	14.061	0.241
Kennewick	34,397	37,180	2,783	3,655	14,456	16,427	1,971	1,409	15.510	18.271	2.761
Prosser	4,049	3,990	- 59	20	1,559	1,711	152	7	3.250	3.652	0.402
Richland	33,578	30,140	- 3,438	2	13,387	13,858	471	1	31.990	32.152	0.162
West Richland	2,938	3,670	732	638	1,268	1,530	262	258	2.000	19.535	17.535
CHELAN											
Cashmere	2,240	2,305	65	45	957	1,016	59	19	1.500	1.638	0.138
Chelan	2,802	2,979	177	0	1,346	1,584	238	0	4.090	4.175	0.085
Entiat	445	433	- 12	0	204	193	- 11	0	0.710	0.729	0.019
Leavenworth	1,526	1,575	49	0	702	775	73	0	0.790	0.902	0.112
Wenatchee	17,257	18,860	1,603	1,651	7,682	8,749	1,067	672	4.170	5.761	1.591
CLALLAM											
Forks	3,060	2,860	- 200	8	1,158	1,135	- 23	4	1.160	1.270	0.110
Port Angeles	17,311	17,350	39	81	7,288	7,634	346	41	8.580	9.530	0.950
Sequim	3,013	3,330	317	44	1,597	1,786	189	25	1.550	1.918	0.368
CLARK											
Battleground	2,774	3,510	736	30	1,022	1,278	256	12	1.750	2.468	0.718
Camas	5,681	5,880	199	414	2,237	2,411	174	153	3.840	8.492	4.652
LaCenter	439	465	26	0	174	181	7	0	1.000	1.000	0.000
Ridgefield	1,062	1,145	83	24	403	455	52	6	0.750	0.762	0.012
Vancouver	42,834	43,290	456	73	19,894	20,780	886	29	15.200	15.606	0.406
Washougal	3,834	4,050	216	33	1,687	1,818	131	10	2.100	2.111	0.011
Yacolt	544	540	- 4	0	211	209	- 2	0	1.000	1.000	0.000
COLUMBIA											
Dayton	2,565	2,640	75	0	1,122	1,106	- 16	0	1.280	1.400	0.120
Starbuck	198	230	32	0	98	91	- 7	0	0.250	0.250	0.000
COWLITZ											
Castle Rock	2,162	2,100	- 62	0	865	889	24	0	0.970	0.970	0.000
Kalama	1,216	1,120	- 96	0	500	493	- 7	0	2.290	2.306	0.016
Kelso	11,129	10,880	- 249	9	4,794	4,905	111	5	6.750	8.094	1.344
Longview	31,052	29,560	- 1,492	345	13,118	13,448	330	183	12.490	12.620	0.130
Woodland	2,415	2,600	185	13	890	1,006	116	4	2.100	2.332	0.232
DOUGLAS											
Bridgeport	1,174	1,320	146	0	572	616	44	0	0.640	0.640	0.000
E. Wenatchee	1,640	1,710	70	10	803	896	93	6	0.620	0.702	0.082
Mansfield	315	350	35	0	149	176	27	0	0.190	0.190	0.000
Rock Island	491	520	29	0	161	183	22	0	0.690	0.696	0.006
Waterville	908	945	37	5	432	436	4	1	1.580	1.591	0.011
FERRY											
Republic	1,018	995	- 23	0	434	430	- 4	0	1.000	1.000	0.000
FRANKLIN											
Connell	1,981	2,060	79	8	687	706	19	1	1.700	1.713	0.013
Kahlotus	203	225	22	0	104	93	- 11	0	0.350	0.350	0.000
Mesa	278	285	7	0	118	99	- 19	0	1.320	2.397	1.077
Pasco	18,428	18,430	2	91	7,702	8,052	350	51	16.000	23.500	7.500
GARFIELD											
Pomeroy	1,716	1,685	- 31	0	779	784	5	0	4.180	4.180	0.000

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Municipality	Population			Annexed*	Housing Units			Annexed*	Area in Square Miles		Annexed*
	1980	1988	Change	1980-88	1980	1988	Change	1980-88	1980**	1988	1980-88
GRANT											
Coulee City	510	575	65	0	282	314	32	0	5.400	5.400	0.000
Electric City	927	940	13	2	391	421	30	1	1.000	1.004	0.004
Ephrata	5,359	5,610	251	2	2,327	2,446	119	1	3.260	3.458	0.198
George	261	307	46	0	115	119	4	0	0.530	0.530	0.000
Grand Coulee	1,180	1,190	10	2	655	659	4	1	1.040	1.045	0.005
Hartline	165	170	5	0	89	93	4	0	0.650	0.650	0.000
Krupp	87	67	- 20	0	31	27	- 4	0	0.500	0.500	0.000
Mattawa	299	605	306	0	133	223	90	0	0.250	0.369	0.119
Moses Lake	10,629	10,650	21	17	4,224	4,663	439	8	7.490	8.819	1.329
Quincy	3,525	3,660	135	0	1,355	1,390	35	0	2.400	2.571	0.171
Royal City	676	810	134	0	263	272	9	0	0.630	0.630	0.000
Soap Lake	1,196	1,305	109	0	840	875	35	0	1.140	1.140	0.000
Warden	1,479	1,530	51	0	480	507	27	0	1.240	1.240	0.000
Wilson Creek	222	195	- 27	0	102	103	1	0	1.020	1.020	0.000
GRAYS HARBOR											
Aberdeen	18,739	17,130	- 1,609	0	8,088	8,641	553	0	11.690	11.690	0.000
Cosmopolis	1,575	1,545	- 30	33	585	608	23	11	1.300	1.372	0.072
Elma	2,720	2,445	- 275	8	1,102	1,093	- 9	4	1.070	1.120	0.050
Hoquiam	9,719	9,050	- 669	0	3,988	4,055	67	0	7.300	7.300	0.000
McCleary	1,419	1,450	31	0	576	644	68	0	1.110	1.118	0.008
Montesano	3,247	3,140	- 107	2	1,299	1,335	36	1	9.310	9.635	0.325
Oakville	537	515	- 22	0	222	229	7	0	0.440	0.445	0.005
Ocean Shores	1,777	2,179	402	0	1,308	1,903	595	0	9.300	9.300	0.000
Westport	1,954	1,885	- 69	0	1,248	1,329	81	0	7.100	7.100	0.000
ISLAND											
Coupeville	1,006	1,210	204	2	498	592	94	2	1.020	1.062	0.042
Langley	654	728	74	2	358	394	36	1	0.630	0.692	0.062
Oak Harbor	12,271	14,410	2,139	77	4,407	5,520	1,113	49	7.410	7.658	0.248
JEFFERSON											
Port Townsend	6,067	6,840	773	5	2,609	3,161	552	3	6.000	6.027	0.027
KING											
Algona	1,467	1,655	188	0	564	652	88	0	2.000	2.000	0.000
Auburn	26,417	30,790	4,373	103	11,343	13,864	2,521	53	19.880	20.370	0.490
Beaux Arts	328	293	- 35	0	113	113	0	0	0.080	0.080	0.000
Bellevue	73,903	85,180	11,277	2,909	29,315	35,402	6,087	981	24.500	25.971	1.471
Black Diamond	1,170	1,330	160	0	456	556	100	0	2.660	2.660	0.000
Bothell	7,943	10,205	2,262	108	3,064	4,373	1,309	38	4.190	4.954	0.764
Carnation	951	1,250	299	21	352	444	92	9	4.530	5.074	0.544
Clyde Hill	3,229	3,030	- 199	0	1,020	1,073	53	0	1.500	1.500	0.000
Des Moines	7,378	14,120	6,742	5,014	3,256	6,804	3,548	2,007	1.830	3.321	1.491
Duvall	729	1,910	1,181	0	272	714	442	1	0.820	0.931	0.111
Enumclaw	5,427	6,260	833	101	2,328	2,797	469	35	3.080	3.379	0.299
Hunts Point	483	505	22	0	185	187	2	0	0.330	0.330	0.000
Issaquah	5,536	7,170	1,634	172	2,270	3,265	995	80	5.500	6.091	0.591
Kent	22,961	32,350	9,389	1,631	10,942	15,740	4,798	643	18.500	19.726	1.226
Kirkland	18,785	35,820	17,035	16,476	8,262	16,737	8,475	7,266	6.230	10.287	4.057
Lk. Forest Pk.	2,485	2,770	285	334	897	1,074	177	137	0.950	1.063	0.113
Medina	3,220	2,950	- 270	15	1,146	1,188	42	7	1.600	1.605	0.005
Mercer Island	21,522	20,690	- 832	0	7,800	8,234	434	0	6.200	6.200	0.000
Normandy Pk.	4,268	6,130	1,862	1,827	1,440	2,346	906	774	2.240	2.629	0.389
North Bend	1,701	2,275	574	279	722	987	265	115	2.300	3.543	1.243
Pacific	2,261	3,320	1,059	0	906	1,240	334	0	3.000	3.000	0.000
Redmond	23,318	31,710	8,392	383	8,728	13,856	5,128	170	13.160	15.109	1.949
Renton	31,031	36,940	5,909	405	13,739	17,919	4,180	168	15.300	16.339	1.039
Seattle	493,846	495,900	2,054	0	230,039	246,845	16,806	0	83.640	83.640	0.000
Skykomish	209	233	24	0	157	158	1	0	1.000	1.000	0.000
Snoqualmie	1,370	1,515	145	94	551	616	65	39	0.760	1.607	0.847
Tukwila	3,578	4,760	1,182	879	1,938	2,540	602	343	3.840	4.164	0.324
Yarrow Point	1,077	1,020	- 57	0	372	382	10	0	0.350	0.350	0.000
KITSAP											
Bremerton	36,208	37,050	842	308	14,960	15,455	495	146	17.050	20.626	3.576
Port Orchard	4,787	4,838	51	50	1,950	2,025	75	15	2.690	2.901	0.211
Poulsbo	3,453	4,190	737	54	1,482	2,065	583	20	1.770	2.698	0.928
Winslow	2,196	2,580	384	1	1,061	1,402	341	1	1.470	1.472	0.002

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Municipality	Population 1980	Population 1988	Population Change	Population Annexed* 1980-88	Housing Units 1980	Housing Units 1988	Housing Units Change	Housing Units Annexed* 1980-88	Area in Square Miles 1980**	Area in Square Miles 1988	Area in Square Miles Annexed* 1980-88
KITTITAS											
Cle Elum	1,773	1,815	42	0	885	965	80	0	1.270	1.270	0.000
Ellensburg	11,755	11,500	- 255	19	4,892	5,021	129	7	4.630	5.079	0.449
Kittitas	853	920	67	0	316	362	46	0	0.430	0.430	0.000
Roslyn	938	960	22	0	580	610	30	0	2.000	5.180	3.180
S. Cle Elum	449	490	41	0	191	214	23	0	0.380	0.380	0.000
KLICKITAT											
Bingen	679	665	- 14	0	335	296	- 39	0	1.000	1.000	0.000
Goldendale	3,575	3,730	155	18	1,452	1,558	106	6	2.250	2.284	0.034
White Salmon	1,853	2,100	247	148	802	873	71	47	0.870	1.189	0.319
LEWIS											
Centralia	11,555	11,850	295	47	5,039	5,297	258	33	5.200	5.337	0.137
Chehalis	6,100	6,250	150	177	2,527	2,679	152	66	3.700	4.444	0.744
Morton	1,264	1,170	- 94	52	542	524	- 18	16	0.650	0.700	0.050
Mossyrock	463	455	- 8	0	217	232	15	0	1.000	1.000	0.000
Napavine	611	740	129	0	231	288	57	0	0.710	0.710	0.000
Pe Ell	617	580	- 37	0	261	251	- 10	0	0.620	0.620	0.000
Toledo	637	570	- 67	0	279	265	- 14	0	0.270	0.289	0.019
Vader	406	395	- 11	0	169	181	12	0	0.840	0.840	0.000
Winlock	1,052	1,050	- 2	29	439	453	14	10	1.000	1.170	0.170
LINCOLN											
Almira	349	304	- 45	0	166	167	1	0	0.490	0.490	0.000
Creston	318	290	- 28	0	139	127	- 12	0	0.360	0.366	0.006
Davenport	1,559	1,615	56	0	680	705	25	0	1.000	1.196	0.196
Harrington	507	470	- 37	0	236	224	- 12	0	0.390	0.390	0.000
Odessa	1,009	972	- 37	0	472	476	4	0	1.000	1.000	0.000
Reardan	498	512	14	0	208	213	5	0	0.460	0.460	0.000
Sprague	473	462	- 11	0	232	239	7	0	0.510	0.510	0.000
Wilbur	1,122	1,080	- 42	0	473	499	26	0	1.000	1.003	0.003
MASON											
Shelton	7,629	7,530	- 99	35	3,068	3,206	138	17	4.710	4.732	0.022
OKANOGAN											
Brewster	1,337	1,500	163	0	604	634	30	0	5.000	5.000	0.000
Conconully	157	178	21	0	119	136	17	0	2.000	2.003	0.003
Coulee Dam	1,439	1,103	- 336	0	570	543	- 27	0	0.660	0.660	0.000
Elmer City	312	273	- 39	0	139	136	- 3	0	0.170	0.170	0.000
Nespelem	284	270	- 14	0	106	106	0	0	0.190	0.190	0.000
Okanogan	2,326	2,390	64	0	970	1,012	42	0	1.630	1.631	0.000
Omak	4,007	3,910	- 97	10	1,714	1,768	54	4	2.540	2.545	0.005
Oroville	1,483	1,500	17	0	692	725	33	0	0.960	0.960	0.000
Pateros	555	560	5	0	256	276	20	0	0.370	0.370	0.000
Riverside	243	225	- 18	0	102	98	- 4	0	0.720	0.720	0.000
Tonasket	985	1,055	70	0	403	441	38	0	0.390	0.390	0.000
Twisp	911	885	- 26	0	421	402	- 19	0	0.630	0.630	0.000
Winthrop	413	400	- 13	6	216	226	10	2	0.910	0.994	0.084
PACIFIC											
Ilwaco	604	750	146	130	320	407	87	61	1.120	1.459	0.339
Long Beach	1,243	1,300	57	46	869	1,096	227	162	1.500	1.572	0.072
Raymond	2,991	2,870	- 121	74	1,285	1,342	57	33	3.600	4.112	0.512
South Bend	1,686	1,605	- 81	0	742	756	14	0	5.810	5.947	0.137
PEND OREILLE											
Cusick	246	202	- 44	0	103	108	5	0	0.120	0.120	0.000
Ione	594	520	- 74	0	237	216	- 21	0	0.660	0.660	0.000
Metaline	190	179	- 11	0	95	89	- 6	0	0.330	0.330	0.000
Metaline Falls	296	272	- 24	0	191	188	- 3	0	0.190	0.190	0.000
Newport	1,665	1,565	- 100	39	707	688	- 19	14	0.960	1.088	0.128
PIERCE											
Bonney Lake	5,328	6,660	1,332	17	1,875	2,433	558	15	4.970	5.670	0.700
Buckley	3,143	3,040	- 103	103	886	1,019	133	46	3.750	4.105	0.355
Carbonado	456	460	4	0	154	165	11	0	0.300	0.300	0.000
Du Pont	559	595	36	0	226	224	- 2	0	5.220	5.267	0.047
Eatonville	998	1,225	227	47	412	537	125	19	0.780	0.949	0.169
Fife	1,823	2,860	1,037	158	844	1,630	786	79	2.690	2.836	0.146

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PIERCE, cont.											
Fircrest	5,477	5,320	- 157	0	2,057	2,212	155	0	1.050	1.051	0.001
Gig Harbor	2,429	2,830	401	29	1,187	1,404	217	13	1.300	1.338	0.038
Milton	3,162	4,305	1,143	188	1,209	1,916	707	98	1.640	1.994	0.354
Orting	1,787	1,905	118	0	624	679	55	0	1.500	1.500	0.000
Puyallup	18,251	20,840	2,589	393	7,018	8,746	1,728	247	8.800	9.930	1.130
Roy	417	340	- 77	- 35	161	139	- 22	- 22	0.360	0.314	-0.046
Ruston	623	642	19	0	300	307	7	0	0.500	0.500	0.000
South Prairie	202	231	29	0	74	96	22	0	0.390	0.390	0.000
Steilacoom	4,886	5,290	404	0	1,949	2,250	301	0	2.160	2.160	0.000
Sumner	4,936	5,620	684	322	2,149	2,650	501	134	2.010	3.682	1.672
Tacoma	158,501	161,400	2,899	37	67,759	74,229	6,470	14	47.680	47.768	0.088
Wilkeson	316	360	44	0	141	149	8	0	0.470	0.470	0.000
SAN JUAN											
Friday Harbor	1,200	1,475	275	0	618	819	201	0	0.900	0.900	0.000
SKAGIT											
Anacortes	9,013	10,320	1,307	5	3,917	4,675	758	3	8.330	8.450	0.120
Burlington	3,894	3,890	- 4	21	1,668	1,787	119	8	2.920	2.975	0.055
Concrete	592	620	28	5	257	307	50	1	1.100	1.309	0.209
Hamilton	283	220	- 63	0	116	98	- 18	0	0.610	0.610	0.000
La Conner	660	665	5	0	314	317	3	0	1.500	1.500	0.000
Lyman	285	310	25	0	124	139	15	0	8.210	8.210	0.000
Mount Vernon	13,009	14,590	1,581	22	5,494	6,605	1,111	9	7.570	8.911	1.341
Sedro-Woolley	6,110	6,330	220	4	2,397	2,529	132	1	3.380	3.471	0.091
SKAMANIA											
N. Bonneville	432	432	0	10	183	172	- 11	2	2.130	2.382	0.252
Stevenson	1,172	1,100	- 72	9	478	456	- 22	5	0.900	0.954	0.054
SNOHOMISH											
Arlington	3,282	3,582	300	4	1,299	1,497	198	1	8.000	8.120	0.120
Brier	2,915	4,790	1,875	4	946	1,805	859	2	2.110	2.144	0.034
Darrington	1,064	1,020	- 44	74	436	460	24	35	1.000	1.220	0.220
Edmonds	27,679	28,500	821	393	10,706	12,540	1,834	168	7.240	7.477	0.237
Everett	54,413	60,920	6,507	714	23,912	28,470	4,558	267	24.610	30.278	5.668
Gold Bar	794	815	21	0	423	371	- 52	0	1.000	1.000	0.000
Granite Falls	911	975	64	0	377	439	62	0	0.620	0.624	0.004
Index	147	184	37	0	106	93	- 13	0	0.190	0.190	0.000
Lake Stevens	1,660	2,630	970	26	643	983	340	9	1.130	1.295	0.165
Lynnwood	22,641	25,420	2,779	1,139	9,220	11,184	1,964	439	6.250	6.926	0.676
Marysville	5,544	7,726	2,182	630	2,607	3,694	1,087	272	3.440	3.941	0.501
Mill Creek	0	5,262	5,262	3,425	0	2,369	2,369	1,566	0.000	2.058	2.058
Monroe	2,869	3,350	481	109	1,193	1,517	324	42	2.330	3.081	0.751
Mtlake Terr.	16,534	16,290	- 244	210	6,150	7,601	1,451	84	3.600	3.852	0.252
Mukilteo	1,426	5,860	4,434	2,834	574	2,674	2,100	1,433	1.150	2.728	1.578
Snohomish	5,294	5,790	496	146	2,075	2,380	305	62	1.990	2.095	0.105
Stanwood	1,646	1,835	189	8	617	734	117	2	1.190	1.373	0.183
Sultan	1,578	1,900	322	0	654	836	182	0	2.500	2.500	0.000
Woodway	832	865	33	0	274	339	65	0	1.040	1.040	0.000
SPOKANE											
Airway Heights	1,730	1,965	235	106	762	988	226	45	1.000	4.188	3.188
Cheney	7,630	7,550	- 80	3	2,601	2,746	145	1	2.460	2.635	0.175
Deer Park	2,140	2,375	235	9	871	1,027	156	6	3.500	6.791	3.291
Fairfield	582	555	- 27	2	225	221	- 4	1	2.500	2.527	0.027
Latah	155	171	16	0	83	83	0	0	0.300	0.300	0.000
Medical Lake	3,600	3,760	160	3	904	992	88	2	3.040	3.227	0.188
Millwood	1,717	1,680	- 37	0	728	720	- 8	0	0.620	0.620	0.000
Rockford	442	440	- 2	0	177	167	- 10	0	0.630	0.630	0.000
Spangle	276	222	- 54	3	110	110	0	1	0.260	0.288	0.028
Spokane	171,300	170,200	- 1,100	364	76,041	80,469	4,428	132	52.540	57.070	4.530
Waverly	99	100	1	0	43	48	5	0	0.400	0.400	0.000
STEVENS											
Chewelah	2,012	1,965	- 47	26	820	908	88	11	2.250	3.301	1.051
Colville	4,603	4,770	167	89	1,897	2,014	117	36	1.850	2.359	0.509
Kettle Falls	1,087	1,240	153	39	443	528	85	18	0.800	0.882	0.082
Marcus	174	155	- 19	0	62	64	2	0	0.150	0.213	0.063

TABLE 8-Continued
Change in Population, Housing Units, and Land Area for Cities/Towns
April 1, 1980 to April 1, 1988

Municipality	Population				Housing Units				Area in Square Miles		
	1980	1988	Change	Annexed* 1980-88	1980	1988	Change	Annexed* 1980-88	1980**	1988	Annexed* 1980-88
STEVENS, cont.											
Northport	424	297	- 127	0	186	164	- 22	0	0.540	0.540	0.000
Springdale	281	204	- 77	0	114	113	- 1	0	1.000	1.000	0.000
THURSTON											
Bucoda	519	535	16	0	213	213	0	0	1.050	1.119	0.069
Lacey	13,940	16,380	2,440	1,088	5,838	7,624	1,786	518	7.850	10.592	2.742
Olympia	27,447	30,270	2,823	127	12,565	14,625	2,060	76	17.070	17.752	0.682
Rainier	891	1,000	109	0	305	356	51	0	1.660	1.660	0.000
Tenino	1,280	1,285	5	8	502	536	34	7	0.850	0.876	0.026
Tumwater	6,705	8,100	1,395	215	2,920	3,916	996	123	6.750	10.597	3.847
Yelm	1,294	1,400	106	25	470	559	89	7	0.980	1.099	0.119
WAHKIAKUM											
Cathlamet	635	615	- 20	0	259	259	0	0	2.000	2.000	0.000
WALLA WALLA											
College Place	5,790	5,870	80	82	1,987	2,343	356	36	1.460	1.667	0.207
Prescott	341	274	- 67	0	148	126	- 22	0	0.340	0.340	0.000
Waitsburg	1,035	1,025	- 10	0	462	483	21	0	1.000	1.000	0.000
Walla Walla	25,619	25,440	- 179	236	10,173	10,694	521	86	10.160	10.602	0.442
WHATCOM											
Bellingham	45,794	46,610	816	5	19,750	20,705	955	2	23.810	23.981	0.171
Blaine	2,363	2,415	52	2	1,071	1,140	69	1	3.560	3.576	0.016
Everson	898	1,150	252	3	376	502	126	1	0.870	1.039	0.169
Ferndale	3,855	4,750	895	371	1,465	1,968	503	203	4.930	5.630	0.700
Lynden	4,028	4,780	752	29	1,573	1,984	411	21	2.630	2.691	0.061
Nooksack	429	515	86	0	158	168	10	0	0.590	0.590	0.000
Sumas	712	747	35	11	316	305	- 11	3	0.620	0.792	0.172
WHITMAN											
Albion	631	670	39	0	276	291	15	0	0.400	0.400	0.000
Colfax	2,780	2,840	60	5	1,256	1,322	66	3	1.320	1.341	0.021
Colton	307	290	- 17	0	128	127	- 1	0	0.500	0.500	0.000
Endicott	290	300	10	0	167	167	0	0	1.060	1.060	0.000
Farmington	176	132	- 44	0	74	80	6	0	0.320	0.320	0.000
Garfield	599	581	- 18	0	295	282	- 13	0	1.000	1.000	0.000
La Crosse	373	382	9	0	182	188	6	0	1.000	1.000	0.000
Lamont	101	93	- 8	0	35	36	1	0	0.290	0.290	0.000
Malden	209	185	- 24	0	107	110	3	0	4.000	4.000	0.000
Oakesdale	444	430	- 14	0	200	199	- 1	0	1.000	1.000	0.000
Palouse	1,005	930	- 75	3	448	441	- 7	2	1.000	1.001	0.000
Pullman	23,579	22,230	- 1,349	6	7,142	7,594	452	4	5.900	6.469	0.569
Rosalia	572	555	- 17	0	253	258	5	0	1.000	1.000	0.000
St. John	550	505	- 45	0	253	259	6	0	0.260	0.264	0.004
Tekoa	854	840	- 14	0	365	376	11	0	1.000	1.000	0.000
Uniontown	286	285	- 1	0	136	131	- 5	0	0.950	0.950	0.000
YAKIMA											
Grandview	5,615	6,340	725	496	2,107	2,415	308	142	4.820	5.330	0.510
Granger	1,812	1,830	18	0	621	667	46	0	1.060	1.060	0.000
Harrah	343	332	- 11	0	119	124	5	0	0.430	0.430	0.000
Mabton	1,248	1,250	2	0	384	425	41	0	0.390	0.391	0.000
Moxee	687	790	103	7	250	287	37	2	0.420	0.486	0.066
Naches	655	660	5	12	271	279	8	3	0.340	0.344	0.004
Selah	4,500	4,980	480	231	1,667	1,853	186	83	2.230	2.643	0.413
Sunnyside	9,225	9,640	415	148	3,302	3,610	308	51	2.850	3.304	0.454
Tieton	528	613	85	13	234	264	30	7	0.220	0.433	0.213
Toppenish	6,517	6,620	103	24	2,235	2,322	87	10	1.570	1.603	0.033
Union Gap	3,184	3,240	56	128	1,335	1,388	53	54	1.980	3.815	1.835
Wapato	3,307	3,330	23	0	1,193	1,198	5	0	1.780	1.780	0.000
Yakima	49,826	49,470	- 356	286	21,372	22,074	702	61	12.880	12.985	0.105
Zillah	1,599	1,838	239	9	650	718	68	3	2.750	2.809	0.059

Notes:

* Includes annexations, incorporations, and other municipal boundary changes. Annexed areas of less than .001 square miles are shown as 0.000 square miles.

** Land area for 1980 was primarily supplied by municipal officials.

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Growth of Households

The number of households reported in Table 9 for 1970 and 1980 are census counts of the number of occupied housing units. The 1988 estimate is based on data reported by the counties and the municipalities. The occupancy rates used to produce the estimates were derived from the 1980 federal census and subsequent special censuses and surveys.

During the 1970s, households grew at an annual rate of 4.6 percent. This rate is more than two and one-half times greater than the current rate. In the ten-year period prior to 1980, the state recorded a net gain of 417,185 households. Since 1980, the net gain is slightly over 247,000 households, an average annual gain approximating 2.0 percent.

The growth in households has become more geographically concentrated in the 1980s. King County and Snohomish County alone account for 50 percent of the net increase. Benton, Cowlitz, and Grays Harbor Counties together account for more than 7 percent of the net growth in the 1970s. Over the last eight years, they can only claim about 1 percent.

The many social and economic factors that have contributed to the long-term decline in the number of persons per household are somewhat responsible for the faster growth rate of households relative to the growth rate of the population. The average household growth rate of 2.0 percent is matched to the average population growth rate of 1.3 percent since 1980. During this period, the number of persons per household fell from 2.61 to 2.49. During the 1970s, when persons per household fell from 2.93 to 2.61, the growth rate of households equaled 4.6 percent while the growth of population was 1.9 percent.

In those counties with the fastest rates of growth since 1980, the rate of household growth only slightly exceeded the population growth rate. In the slow growth counties, the rate of net gain in households exceeded the population growth rate by three or more times. Whatcom County is the only county where the rate of population growth exceeded the rate of household growth.

Observation of the varying rates of growth can produce an awareness of the speed at which change is occurring. Speed gives a sense of urgency; however, the demand for resources comes from the amount of change. In 21 counties, the net gain in the number of persons was greater than the net gain in households. These 21 counties were predominantly the large, highly urbanized counties in western Washington. The 18 counties where the gain in households exceeded the gain in population tended to be heavily dependent on extractive industries. The highest levels of net outmigration were usually found in those counties where the gain in population far exceeded the gain in households.

TABLE 9

Growth of Households for Counties and the State of Washington April 1, 1970, 1980, and 1988

	Households			Pecent Share of Total			Average Annual Rate of Growth	
	1970	1980	1988	1970	1980	1988	1970-80	1980-88
State Total	1,123,331	1,540,516	1,787,836	100.0000	100.0000	100.0000	3.20859	1.87853
Adams	3,572	4,488	4,748	0.3180	0.2913	0.2656	2.3091	0.7064
Asotin	4,616	6,470	6,947	0.4109	0.4200	0.3886	3.4341	0.8931
Benton	20,719	38,978	40,437	1.8444	2.5302	2.2618	6.5234	0.4604
Chelan	16,187	17,792	20,672	1.4410	1.1549	1.1563	0.9499	1.8931
Clallam	11,952	19,996	22,529	1.0640	1.2980	1.2601	5.2811	1.5021
Clark	41,149	68,750	81,589	3.6631	4.4628	4.5636	5.2668	2.1633
Columbia	1,559	1,578	1,726	0.1388	0.1024	0.0965	0.1212	1.1269
Cowlitz	22,310	29,516	31,023	1.9861	1.9160	1.7352	2.8385	0.6244
Douglas	5,694	7,994	9,154	0.5069	0.5189	0.5120	3.4510	1.7082
Ferry	1,311	1,954	2,292	0.1167	0.1268	0.1282	4.0716	2.0143
Franklin	7,943	11,985	12,453	0.7071	0.7780	0.6965	4.1994	0.4800
Garfield	986	942	979	0.0878	0.0612	0.0548	-0.4555	0.4827
Grant	12,701	17,158	19,931	1.1307	1.1138	1.1148	3.0535	1.8903
Grays Harbor	20,075	25,181	25,361	1.7871	1.6346	1.4185	2.2920	0.0891
Island	8,465	15,859	19,482	0.7536	1.0295	1.0897	6.4792	2.6053
Jefferson	4,159	6,359	7,757	0.3702	0.4128	0.4339	4.3374	2.5152
King	393,413	497,272	588,047	35.0220	32.2796	32.8916	2.3704	2.1180
Kitsap	33,685	52,801	65,310	2.9987	3.4275	3.6530	4.5973	2.6933
Kittitas	8,211	9,496	10,364	0.7310	0.6164	0.5797	1.4646	1.0993
Klickitat	4,060	5,754	6,710	0.3614	0.3735	0.3753	3.5486	1.9399
Lewis	15,304	20,638	22,339	1.3624	1.3397	1.2495	3.0354	0.9949
Lincoln	3,434	3,687	3,901	0.3057	0.2393	0.2182	0.7134	0.7077
Mason	7,684	11,771	14,144	0.6840	0.7641	0.7911	4.3572	2.3222
Okanogan	10,447	11,371	12,894	0.9300	0.7381	0.7212	0.8511	1.5836
Pacific	6,021	6,940	7,644	0.5360	0.4505	0.4276	1.4306	1.2151
Pend Oreille	2,713	3,002	3,335	0.2415	0.1949	0.1865	1.0174	1.3236
Pierce	124,024	174,250	204,207	11.0407	11.3112	11.4220	3.4586	2.0028
San Juan	1,618	3,340	4,165	0.1440	0.2168	0.2330	7.5169	2.7977
Skagit	17,830	24,472	27,890	1.5872	1.5886	1.5600	3.2171	1.6477
Skamania	1,844	2,819	3,149	0.1642	0.1830	0.1761	4.3358	1.3934
Snohomish	82,844	120,701	154,222	7.3749	7.8351	8.6262	3.8353	3.1109
Spokane	94,121	128,403	139,418	8.3787	8.3351	7.7981	3.1547	1.0341
Stevens	6,178	9,846	10,975	0.5500	0.6391	0.6139	4.7710	1.3662
Thurston	25,794	46,375	57,649	2.2962	3.0104	3.2245	6.0417	2.7575
Wahkiakum	1,162	1,353	1,411	0.1034	0.0878	0.0789	1.5335	0.5261
Walla Walla	13,518	16,975	17,930	1.2034	1.1019	1.0029	2.3033	0.6865
Whatcom	27,237	39,630	43,976	2.4247	2.5725	2.4597	3.8213	1.3092
Whitman	10,748	13,279	13,924	0.9568	0.8620	0.7788	2.1372	0.5946
Yakima	48,043	61,341	67,152	4.2768	3.9819	3.7561	2.4736	1.1378

The Population 65 Years Old and Over

Fed by a steady increase in births prior to 1920, persons age 65 and older continue to be one of the fastest growing segments of the population. This elder population constituted 9.9 percent of the total U.S. population in 1970, 11.3 percent in 1980, and 12.2 percent in 1987, the last year for which national data are available.

Compared to the nation, persons 65 and older are a smaller proportion of the Washington State population, but their numbers are growing faster. Elders comprised 9.5 percent of the state's population in 1970, 10.4 percent in 1980, and 11.8 percent in 1987. In 1988, they are an estimated 11.9 percent of the state total. However, because the total state population grew faster than the nation's, this comparison understates the more rapid increase in the absolute number of elders residing in the state.

Between 1980 and 1987, the national elder population expanded at an average annual rate of 2.4 percent. Meanwhile, the state's grew 3.2 percent a year, from 431,562 in 1980 to an estimated 543,612 in 1988, and Washington moved from 33rd to 31st among states in the percentage of population 65 or older. By comparison, since 1980 the total state population has increased an average of 1.3 percent a year.

The elder population is not only growing in size, it is also aging. Between 1980 and 1988, the number of Washington residents age 65 to 74 rose 21 percent. However, the rate of increase among persons 75 and older was even higher: 32 percent for those between the ages of 75 and 84, and 33 percent among those 85 and older. In 1980, the young old (age 65 to 74) comprised 61 percent of Washington's elders and the old old (85 and older) numbered 9.6 percent. In 1988, the old old are an estimated 10.2 percent of the state's elders, and the proportion of young old has fallen to 59 percent. It will continue to drop until the year 2002, when the young old will number only half of all elders. Then, as the leading edge of the baby boom turns 65, the ranks of the young old will start to swell. See Figure 3.

The growing number of elders and their changing age distribution have important consequences for Washington citizens. Elders are not a homogeneous group. The young old enjoy unprecedented levels of good health and adequate income. However, among the old old, advancing age is accompanied by increased risk of chronic illness, disability, and poverty. As more people reach advanced old age, more personal, family, and government resources are required to provide for their long term health care. Nursing home utilization, as one indicator of serious disability and health care need illustrates the point. In 1980, one quarter of all Washington residents 85 and older were living in nursing homes, compared to 1.7 percent of the young old.

Table 10 provides federal census counts and estimates of the population 65 years and older for the counties and the state. The estimates are developed from changes, by county, in Medicare enrollments which include most elders.

Considerable variation exists across counties in the proportion of residents 65 and older, and growth rates among this segment of the population. Whitman County, with its large population of college students, has the lowest estimated percentage of elder residents (9.1 percent). Next is fast-growing Snohomish county (9.8 percent). Although this county's elder population has increased by an estimated 36.3 percent since 1980, rapid growth in the number of younger residents has kept its proportion of elders below the state average.

In five counties, elders comprise around 20 percent of the population. Garfield County, with 22.0 percent, has the highest concentration of elders in the state, due not to population growth, but

to loss. The number of elders has increased at about the state average, but the county has experienced a population decline in younger age groups.

The other four counties with the highest proportion of elders are on the coast: Pacific, Clallam, Jefferson, and San Juan. Pacific County has had lower than average growth in the elder population, but expansion among other segments of the population has also been relatively small. In the other three counties, the elderly population has increased around 40 percent over the last eight years, outstripping growth of the under 65 population.

Three additional counties, Thurston, Mason, and Island, have experienced over 40 percent growth in their elder populations since 1980. However, substantial increases among younger age groups have kept elder representation in these counties to between 11.5 and 15.4 percent of the total.

FIGURE 3
Washington State Elders
1970 - 2010

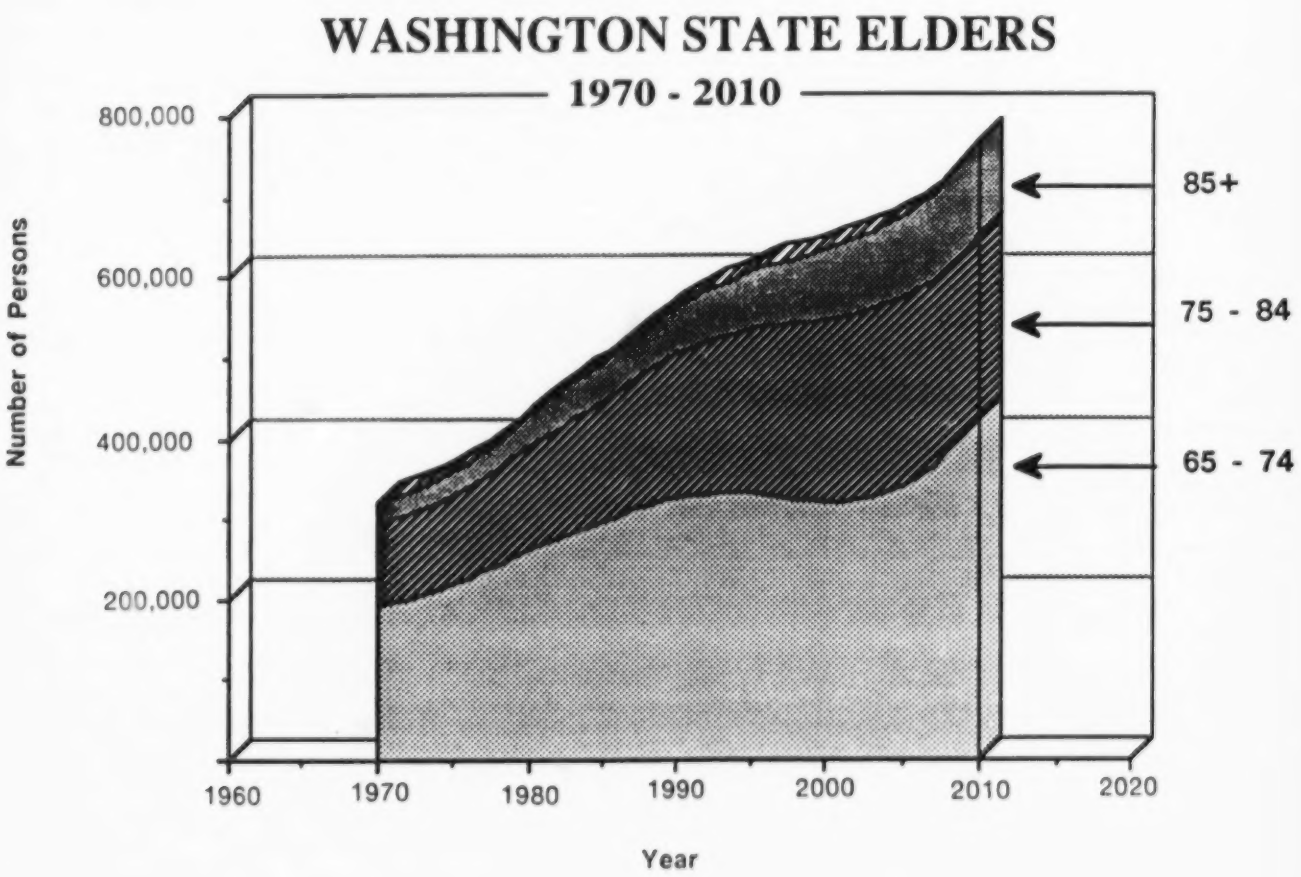

TABLE 10A

Adjusted Estimates of the Population 65 Years Old and Older for Counties and the State of Washington April 1, 1970 - April 1, 1979

	Corrected Census 1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979
State Total	327,160	334,560	341,900	350,480	359,380	368,510	378,550	391,420	404,360	418,340
Adams	870	880	1,000	1,080	1,100	1,120	1,160	1,160	1,100	1,120
Asotin	1,970	1,990	2,010	2,030	2,050	2,100	2,180	2,200	2,270	2,320
Benton	4,460	4,710	4,920	5,250	5,450	5,710	5,940	6,270	6,560	6,850
Chelan	5,320	5,360	5,470	5,710	5,900	6,020	6,170	6,260	6,540	6,650
Clallam	4,440	4,610	4,800	5,020	5,240	5,480	5,760	6,110	6,490	6,890
Clark	11,820	12,210	12,630	13,020	13,490	14,040	14,650	15,370	16,100	16,770
Columbia	680	680	670	700	700	700	710	710	710	720
Cowlitz	6,090	6,300	6,480	6,770	6,980	7,250	7,460	7,780	8,090	8,390
Douglas	1,530	1,620	1,710	1,790	1,800	1,870	1,930	2,020	2,090	2,180
Ferry	320	330	320	330	350	380	400	440	470	480
Franklin	1,720	1,800	1,820	1,900	2,020	2,160	2,220	2,320	2,450	2,570
Garfield	370	360	350	330	340	350	360	360	390	410
Grant	2,940	3,080	3,200	3,290	3,420	3,620	3,810	4,080	4,290	4,540
Grays Harbor	6,900	6,930	7,020	7,120	7,240	7,310	7,460	7,610	7,820	8,130
Island	2,520	2,640	2,940	3,150	3,370	3,650	3,770	3,980	4,260	4,580
Jefferson	1,440	1,500	1,550	1,630	1,740	1,840	1,940	2,050	2,240	2,380
King	103,400	105,480	107,430	109,570	112,210	114,330	116,720	119,880	122,800	126,080
Kitsap	10,150	10,530	10,830	11,140	11,480	11,780	12,220	12,820	13,390	13,980
Kittitas	2,310	2,330	2,350	2,420	2,470	2,500	2,580	2,610	2,680	2,830
Klickitat	1,410	1,420	1,440	1,460	1,500	1,560	1,650	1,750	1,810	1,880
Lewis	6,300	6,320	6,370	6,420	6,520	6,680	6,810	7,080	7,260	7,500
Lincoln	1,430	1,480	1,500	1,500	1,520	1,510	1,540	1,590	1,610	1,610
Mason	2,540	2,580	2,650	2,790	2,830	2,970	3,120	3,300	3,520	3,650
Okanogan	2,950	3,020	3,120	3,180	3,270	3,330	3,450	3,540	3,620	3,730
Pacific	2,460	2,500	2,520	2,550	2,590	2,610	2,690	2,720	2,780	2,850
Pend Oreille	850	850	870	890	900	910	920	930	960	980
Pierce	34,460	35,380	36,180	37,020	37,800	38,710	39,670	41,100	42,540	44,140
San Juan	780	810	850	880	900	960	1,010	1,100	1,180	1,260
Skagit	6,600	6,740	6,760	6,940	7,190	7,390	7,610	7,960	8,230	8,500
Skamania	520	540	580	610	600	600	620	660	700	740
Snohomish	19,930	20,610	21,100	21,830	22,620	23,360	24,380	25,650	26,880	28,270
Spokane	32,450	33,080	33,540	34,090	34,640	35,360	36,020	36,680	37,520	38,530
Stevens	2,270	2,360	2,350	2,350	2,400	2,470	2,550	2,670	2,720	2,860
Thurston	7,790	8,120	8,440	8,820	9,180	9,560	9,980	10,580	11,050	11,720
Wahkiakum	460	480	470	480	490	500	500	500	520	520
Walla Walla	5,500	5,540	5,650	5,770	5,860	5,960	5,990	6,100	6,230	6,300
Whatcom	9,760	9,640	9,850	10,100	10,330	10,490	10,610	10,910	11,230	11,650
Whitman	3,050	3,040	3,040	3,050	3,040	3,040	3,050	3,100	3,180	3,210
Yakima	16,400	16,710	17,120	17,500	17,850	18,330	18,940	19,470	20,080	20,570

Note: This series of estimates corrects for the coverage errors in the 1970 census, and will not match previously published estimates of the population age 65 years and over. A state level adjustment factor was used to correct 1970 census county population as more detailed correction factors were not available. The state correction factor was developed from series SOR 31-WCF-1 BACF-1 described in Demographic Estimates of the Coverage of the Population of States in the 1970 Census: Demographic Analysis, Current Population Reports, series P-23, No. 65, released by the Bureau of the Census in a memorandum to Federal State Cooperative Program members, April 6, 1983.

TABLE 10B

Adjusted Estimates of the Population 65 Years Old and Older for Counties and the State of Washington April 1, 1980 - April 1, 1988

	Corrected Census 1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1988	1988
State Total	431,562	444,944	457,482	471,814	484,313	499,176	514,233	530,397	543,612
Adams	1,154	1,194	1,247	1,300	1,350	1,393	1,402	1,411	1,418
Asotin	2,398	2,462	2,544	2,581	2,640	2,635	2,645	2,655	2,664
Benton	7,219	7,655	7,982	8,378	8,812	9,080	9,541	10,036	10,449
Chelan	6,828	7,070	7,179	7,320	7,449	7,610	7,748	7,896	8,019
Clallam	7,312	7,643	7,947	8,287	8,603	9,000	9,378	9,784	10,124
Clark	17,379	18,085	18,804	19,523	20,128	20,940	21,806	22,737	23,514
Columbia	727	752	757	764	763	773	748	722	701
Cowlitz	8,611	8,838	9,069	9,364	9,586	9,842	10,211	10,607	10,939
Douglas	2,265	2,311	2,372	2,447	2,540	2,622	2,672	2,727	2,773
Ferry	490	527	549	576	596	605	626	648	667
Franklin	2,661	2,804	2,919	3,054	3,177	3,374	3,482	3,598	3,694
Garfield	415	435	446	453	459	464	485	508	527
Grant	4,754	5,039	5,235	5,460	5,692	5,909	6,066	6,234	6,375
Grays Harbor	8,396	8,654	8,818	9,045	9,142	9,362	9,581	9,816	10,012
Island	4,821	5,180	5,482	5,729	6,043	6,383	6,604	6,842	7,041
Jefferson	2,518	2,664	2,785	2,940	3,079	3,265	3,468	3,687	3,869
King	129,414	132,775	136,423	140,494	143,999	148,562	153,086	157,943	162,003
Kitsap	14,529	15,028	15,424	15,935	16,351	16,990	17,591	18,236	18,776
Kittitas	2,942	2,966	3,109	3,212	3,224	3,277	3,372	3,475	3,560
Klickitat	1,943	2,016	2,074	2,128	2,209	2,262	2,297	2,334	2,365
Lewis	7,623	7,893	7,967	8,158	8,355	8,593	8,749	8,916	9,056
Lincoln	1,615	1,619	1,643	1,645	1,671	1,690	1,684	1,677	1,671
Mason	3,934	4,180	4,408	4,610	4,816	5,022	5,234	5,461	5,651
Okanogan	3,870	4,013	4,065	4,187	4,234	4,315	4,360	4,407	4,447
Pacific	2,968	3,054	3,135	3,220	3,277	3,335	3,405	3,479	3,541
Pend Oreille	1,034	1,063	1,046	1,053	1,088	1,090	1,106	1,123	1,138
Pierce	45,530	46,874	48,232	49,812	51,375	53,066	54,851	56,768	58,371
San Juan	1,341	1,423	1,481	1,526	1,594	1,653	1,734	1,820	1,892
Skagit	8,782	9,110	9,388	9,826	10,070	10,398	10,715	11,055	11,339
Skamania	759	787	804	820	852	877	918	962	999
Snohomish	29,532	30,843	31,810	33,040	34,197	35,529	37,123	38,835	40,266
Spokane	39,453	40,322	41,200	42,247	42,923	43,572	44,236	44,950	45,546
Stevens	2,966	3,045	3,167	3,261	3,361	3,505	3,635	3,774	3,891
Thurston	12,230	12,711	13,211	13,728	14,340	15,021	15,759	16,551	17,214
Wahkiakum	534	564	566	579	578	593	591	589	587
Walla Walla	6,446	6,518	6,642	6,804	6,842	6,920	7,029	7,146	7,244
Whatcom	11,967	12,311	12,602	13,000	13,298	13,699	14,023	14,371	14,662
Whitman	3,281	3,343	3,380	3,401	3,434	3,493	3,512	3,531	3,548
Yakima	20,921	21,173	21,570	21,907	22,166	22,457	22,760	23,086	23,359

Note: This series of estimates corrects for the coverage errors in the 1970 census, and will not match previously published estimates of the population aged 65 years and over. A state level adjustment factor was used to correct 1970 census county population as more detailed correction factors were not available. The state correction factor was developed from series SOR 31-WCF-1 BACF-1 described in Demographic Estimates of the Coverage of the Population of States in the 1970 Census: Demographic Analysis, Current Population Reports, series P-23, No. 65, released by the Bureau of the Census in a memorandum to Federal State Cooperative Program members, April 6, 1983.

1988 Population Estimates by Bureau of the Census Racial Categories and the Spanish Origin Population

The Office of Financial Management (OFM) is responsible for population estimates and forecasts. Since the early 1970's, OFM has published estimates by race and Spanish Origin. Based upon questions raised about the estimates, OFM recently reviewed the estimate methodology.

Methodology

Component Method II had previously been used to estimate population by race and Spanish Origin. Component Method II adds births, subtracts deaths, and adds an estimate of net migration to the base population (i.e. the population counted in the 1980 census). Typically, net migrants are estimated from school children enrollment data collected by the Superintendent of Public Instruction (SPI). The birth and death data are collected by the Vital Records Unit of the Department of Social and Health Services (DSHS).

A difference in race definitions between Vital Records and the Census Bureau was identified as a source of error in the previous methodology. Some Hispanic designations recognized by the Census Bureau are not included in the Spanish Origin classification that Vital Records maintains for the National Center for Health Statistics. OFM and DSHS are working on a process to code birth and death data so that it is consistent with the Census Bureau's definitions. Beginning in 1988, all Hispanic ethnic groups will be classified as Hispanic.

Although Vital Records collects data on race, data were not collected on respondents Spanish Origin status. In the 1980 Census, respondents were asked in a separate question whether they were of Spanish Origin or descent. Spanish Origin is not a racial category, and persons of Spanish Origin may be of any race. A separate question on Spanish Origin has been added to the 1988 birth and death certificates.

Because consistent data will not be available until 1989, a 20 percent sample of 1986 birth certificates were recoded into Bureau of the Census racial categories. The results were used to adjust vital statistics data into categories consistent with the Census Bureau's. The current methodology uses these adjusted categories to estimate births and deaths by race.

A review of school enrollment data also revealed a difference in racial definitions used between SPI and the Census Bureau. Because of the difference, the revised methodology uses Census Bureau trends to estimate net migration rates by race. The estimates of net migration by race were controlled to the estimated total net migration for Washington.

County estimates were generated using the county ratio of the state total. County numbers were controlled to both the county total population counts and to the state totals by race and Spanish Origin.

The previous estimates for 1981 through 1986 have been revised according to the methodology described above. These revised estimates appear in Table 11.

Highlights

The revised 1988 population estimates list the Spanish Origin population as the largest ancestry minority group in the state, and the Asian and Pacific Islander population as the largest racial minority group in the state.

The state total population grew from 4,132,156 to 4,565,000 -- 10.5 percent between 1980 and 1988 (Table 3A). The white population increased at a slower rate, from 3,779,170 to 4,083,002 -- 8 per-

cent between 1980 and 1988 (first row and second column on 1980 Table 11 and 1988 Table 11). Growth rates for the Black, the American Indian, the Asian and Pacific Islander, and the Other population increased at a faster pace.

The Spanish Origin population (based on ancestry) increased from 120,016 to 166,486 (+ 46,470) between 1980 and 1988, (first row and last column of 1980 Table 11 and 1988 Table 11). For comparative purposes, the 1980 census shows that 32,941 persons of Spanish Origin migrated to Washington between 1975 and 1980.

The racial composition of Washington State is changing over time due to the faster growth rates of the racial minority groups. In 1980, racial minorities comprised 8.5 percent of the total population. By 1988, racial minorities were estimated to comprise 10.6 percent of Washington's total population.

The Spanish Origin composition of Washington is also changing over time due to the faster growth rate of the Spanish Origin population compared to the non-Spanish Origin population. In 1980, the Spanish Origin population comprised 2.9 percent of the total population. By 1988, the Spanish Origin population is estimated to comprise 4 percent of Washington's total population.

The Immigration Reform Control Act of 1986 set forth a process by which undocumented aliens could become legal residents. The opportunity to apply was first offered in May, 1987. At the time of application, applicants are issued work authorization cards. A decision on temporary legal residency status is made when the application is reviewed. At a later date, the temporary legal residency status may become permanent. The final application period will close in November of 1988. It is anticipated that decisions will have been reached regarding the temporary legal residency status of all applicants over the next year.

TABLE 11

1980 POPULATION ESTIMATES BY THE BUREAU OF THE CENSUS RACIAL CATEGORIES AND FOR THE SPANISH ORIGIN POPULATION BY COUNTY

	Total	White	Black	Indian	Asian & Pac. Is.	Other	Spanish Origin
Washington	4,132,156	3,779,170	105,574	60,804	110,052	76,556	120,016
Adams	13,267	11,339	36	61	70	1,761	2,953
Asotin	16,823	16,514	20	165	62	62	157
Benton	109,444	103,107	857	779	1,693	3,008	4,598
Chelan	45,061	43,701	47	358	215	740	1,368
Clallam	51,648	48,674	114	2,113	443	304	647
Clark	192,227	184,827	1,682	1,521	2,547	1,650	3,059
Columbia	4,057	3,937	0	29	19	72	113
Cowlitz	79,548	76,964	191	964	851	578	1,067
Douglas	22,144	21,538	20	178	97	311	652
Ferry	5,811	4,759	32	983	6	31	61
Franklin	35,025	30,025	1,452	234	439	2,875	5,412
Garfield	2,468	2,451	0	2	10	5	6
Grant	48,522	43,684	539	423	534	3,342	5,469
Grays Harbor	66,314	63,108	77	2,293	480	356	870
Island	44,048	41,049	677	380	1,398	544	1,124
Jefferson	15,965	15,284	40	440	104	97	204
King	1,269,749	1,122,011	55,950	12,437	62,459	16,892	26,631
Kitsap	147,152	135,946	2,704	2,030	4,622	1,850	3,781
Kittitas	24,877	24,096	139	211	198	233	314
Klickitat	15,822	14,969	19	467	110	257	474
Lewis	56,025	54,826	81	494	375	249	680
Lincoln	9,604	9,418	4	135	25	22	74
Mason	31,184	29,548	126	1,008	259	243	432
Okanogan	30,639	26,852	31	3,233	77	446	626
Pacific	17,237	16,601	35	357	123	121	172
Pend Oreille	8,580	8,329	6	192	19	34	102
Pierce	485,643	425,951	29,827	5,919	15,433	8,513	12,892
San Juan	7,838	7,702	8	53	35	40	50
Skagit	64,138	61,112	92	1,138	379	1,417	2,008
Skamania	7,919	7,751	7	94	27	40	81
Snohomish	337,720	323,080	2,199	4,159	5,495	2,787	5,440
Spokane	341,835	326,221	4,305	4,193	4,496	2,620	4,811
Stevens	28,979	27,165	27	1,504	104	179	310
Thurston	124,264	117,327	1,019	1,726	2,915	1,277	2,577
Wahkiakum	3,832	3,717	0	54	15	46	78
Walla Walla	47,435	44,051	722	315	439	1,908	2,572
Whatcom	106,701	100,895	328	3,252	926	1,300	2,065
Whitman	40,103	37,600	560	254	1,254	435	631
Yakima	172,508	143,041	1,601	6,656	1,299	19,911	25,455

1. The Other racial category is a count of persons who marked Other Race on the 1980 census questionnaire and wrote in entries such as Cuban, Puerto Rican, Mexican, etc. They represent persons who when given an opportunity to identify themselves in a racial category did not select White (or any other category), but specifically identified themselves as Cuban, Puerto Rican, Mexican, etc. In 1980, this category represented a count of 67,154 persons who considered themselves racially Spanish and 9,402 additional responses that could not be elsewhere classified.

2. Spanish Origin is not a racial category: it may be viewed as an ancestry group. Persons of Spanish Origin may be of any race and are counted in the racial categories shown. In 1980, 44.4% of persons indicating Spanish Origin identified themselves as being racially White, 1.3% Black, 2.3% Indian, 4.4% Asian, and 47.6% selected the Other races category.

TABLE 11

1981 POPULATION ESTIMATES BY THE BUREAU OF THE CENSUS RACIAL CATEGORIES AND FOR THE SPANISH ORIGIN POPULATION BY COUNTY

	Total	White	Black	Indian	Asian & Pac. Is.	Other	Spanish Origin
Washington	4,226,600	3,852,325	109,523	62,214	118,019	84,519	127,979
Adams	13,100	11,196	36	60	69	1,739	2,866
Asotin	16,900	16,588	20	166	63	63	159
Benton	111,300	104,855	872	792	1,722	3,059	4,676
Chelan	45,600	44,171	48	363	222	796	1,411
Clallam	52,000	48,986	115	2,130	452	317	660
Clark	195,200	187,257	1,732	1,558	2,733	1,920	3,216
Columbia	4,000	3,881	0	29	19	71	111
Cowlitz	79,800	77,207	192	967	854	580	1,070
Douglas	22,400	21,763	20	180	101	336	676
Ferry	6,000	4,907	34	1,016	7	36	66
Franklin	35,900	30,734	1,482	238	451	2,995	5,567
Garfield	2,400	2,383	0	2	10	5	3
Grant	48,500	43,664	539	423	534	3,340	5,467
Grays Harbor	66,700	63,476	77	2,306	483	358	875
Island	45,300	42,041	707	392	1,516	644	1,221
Jefferson	16,600	15,855	43	462	117	123	230
King	1,300,800	1,144,422	57,906	12,688	66,643	19,141	29,663
Kitsap	156,500	143,475	2,948	2,168	5,398	2,511	4,485
Kittitas	25,100	24,304	141	213	201	241	320
Klickitat	16,200	15,277	21	483	118	301	507
Lewis	56,400	55,181	82	498	381	258	691
Lincoln	9,600	9,414	4	135	25	22	74
Mason	32,100	30,296	134	1,062	292	316	465
Okanogan	30,800	26,972	31	3,259	79	459	636
Pacific	17,600	16,954	35	362	125	124	175
Pend Oreille	8,900	8,634	8	199	20	39	109
Pierce	499,700	436,256	31,057	6,041	16,599	9,747	14,063
San Juan	8,100	7,939	9	56	41	55	54
Skagit	64,300	61,232	92	1,143	383	1,450	2,019
Skamania	8,000	7,831	7	95	27	40	82
Snohomish	350,400	334,058	2,335	4,350	6,148	3,509	6,139
Spokane	346,800	330,286	4,437	4,302	4,774	3,001	5,073
Stevens	29,200	27,347	28	1,525	107	193	320
Thurston	128,600	120,924	1,075	1,797	3,228	1,576	2,863
Wahkiakum	3,800	3,689	0	53	15	43	76
Walla Walla	47,600	44,182	725	316	442	1,935	2,592
Whatcom	109,500	103,118	346	3,401	1,027	1,608	2,234
Whitman	40,300	37,785	563	255	1,260	437	634
Yakima	174,600	143,785	1,622	6,729	1,333	21,131	26,431

NOTE: Estimates for racial and Spanish Origin categories are variable because of the small numbers involved. Caution is advised in interpreting 1980-81 change for categories of less than 500 persons.

1. The Other racial category is a count of persons who marked Other Race on the 1980 census questionnaire and wrote in entries such as Cuban, Puerto Rican, Mexican, etc. They represent persons who when given an opportunity to identify themselves in a racial category did not select White (or any other category), but specifically identified themselves as Cuban, Puerto Rican, Mexican, etc. In 1980, this category represented a count of 67,154 persons who considered themselves racially Spanish and 9,402 additional responses that could not be elsewhere classified.
2. Spanish Origin is not a racial category: it may be viewed as an ancestry group. Persons of Spanish Origin may be of any race and are counted in the racial categories shown. In 1980, 44.4% of persons indicating Spanish Origin identified themselves as being racially White, 1.3% Black, 2.3% Indian, 4.4% Asian, and 47.6% selected the Other races category.
3. 1981 estimates of the Spanish Origin population were developed from the 1981 population estimates by race. The 1980 ratio of Spanish Origin persons in each racial category was applied to the 1981 estimates by race to derive an estimate of the total Spanish Origin Population.

TABLE 11

1982 POPULATION ESTIMATES BY THE BUREAU OF THE CENSUS RACIAL CATEGORIES AND FOR THE SPANISH ORIGIN POPULATION BY COUNTY

	Total	White	Black	Indian	Asian & Pac. Is.	Other	Spanish Origin
Washington	4,264,000	3,874,701	111,348	63,090	123,843	91,018	133,491
Adams	13,100	11,196	36	60	69	1,739	2,866
Asotin	17,000	16,679	20	168	65	68	164
Benton	111,700	105,232	875	795	1,728	3,070	4,693
Chelan	45,500	44,074	48	362	222	794	1,408
Clallam	52,100	49,063	116	2,138	458	325	668
Clark	198,600	190,016	1,792	1,603	2,949	2,240	3,593
Columbia	4,000	3,881	0	29	19	71	111
Cowlitz	79,500	76,936	191	962	843	568	1,055
Douglas	22,400	21,763	20	180	101	336	676
Ferry	6,100	4,971	35	1,044	8	42	72
Franklin	36,200	30,951	1,497	240	457	3,055	5,666
Garfield	2,400	2,383	0	2	10	5	3
Grant	48,600	43,701	540	424	538	3,397	5,516
Grays Harbor	66,100	62,962	76	2,269	465	328	840
Island	46,000	42,458	730	402	1,650	760	1,336
Jefferson	16,900	16,090	45	480	132	153	256
King	1,311,400	1,148,974	58,774	12,855	69,504	21,293	31,165
Kitsap	158,500	144,715	3,021	2,213	5,742	2,809	4,794
Kittitas	25,100	24,304	141	213	201	241	320
Klickitat	16,200	15,277	21	483	118	301	507
Lewis	56,400	55,181	82	498	381	258	691
Lincoln	9,600	9,414	4	135	25	22	74
Mason	32,700	30,786	139	1,097	314	364	518
Okanogan	31,000	27,125	31	3,290	81	473	648
Pacific	17,700	17,047	35	365	127	126	177
Pend Oreille	8,800	8,537	7	197	20	39	108
Pierce	504,500	438,375	31,616	6,146	17,529	10,834	14,951
San Juan	8,500	8,302	10	61	50	77	69
Skagit	65,600	62,209	96	1,181	413	1,701	2,251
Skamania	8,000	7,831	7	95	27	40	82
Snohomish	356,400	338,354	2,431	4,496	6,837	4,282	6,823
Spokane	348,100	331,349	4,472	4,331	4,847	3,101	5,210
Stevens	29,400	27,512	28	1,544	110	206	328
Thurston	131,300	122,690	1,125	1,866	3,642	1,977	3,236
Wahkiakum	3,800	3,689	0	53	15	43	76
Walla Walla	48,300	44,593	743	323	469	2,172	2,761
Whatcom	111,100	104,375	356	3,486	1,085	1,798	2,440
Whitman	40,200	37,708	560	254	1,249	429	628
Yakima	175,200	143,998	1,628	6,750	1,343	21,481	26,711

NOTE: Estimates for racial and Spanish Origin categories are variable because of the small numbers involved. Caution is advised in interpreting 1980-82 change for categories of less than 500 persons.

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2. Spanish Origin is not a racial category: it may be viewed as an ancestry group. Persons of Spanish Origin may be of any race and are counted in the racial categories shown. In 1980, 44.4% of persons indicating Spanish Origin identified themselves as being racially White, 1.3% Black, 2.3% Indian, 4.4% Asian, and 47.6% selected the Other races category.
3. 1982 estimates of the Spanish Origin population were developed from the 1982 population estimates by race. The 1980 ratio of Spanish Origin persons in each racial category was applied to the 1982 estimates by race to derive an estimate of the total Spanish Origin Population.

TABLE 11

1983 POPULATION ESTIMATES BY THE BUREAU OF THE CENSUS RACIAL CATEGORIES AND FOR THE SPANISH ORIGIN POPULATION BY COUNTY

	Total	White	Black	Indian	Asian & Pac. Is.	Other	Spanish Origin
WASHINGTON	4,285,100	3,883,331	112,746	63,826	128,511	96,686	138,122
Adams	13,600	11,406	38	62	74	2,020	3,195
Asotin	16,800	16,483	20	166	64	67	162
Benton	108,700	102,944	838	766	1,597	2,555	4,277
Chelan	46,500	44,873	50	377	242	958	1,604
Clallam	52,200	49,133	117	2,148	467	335	677
Clark	200,000	191,141	1,822	1,627	3,039	2,371	3,769
Columbia	4,000	3,881	0	29	19	71	111
Cowlitz	79,300	76,763	189	958	832	558	1,045
Douglas	22,400	21,763	20	180	101	336	676
Ferry	6,100	4,971	35	1,044	8	42	72
Franklin	36,000	30,780	1,489	239	454	3,038	5,635
Garfield	2,400	2,383	0	2	10	5	3
Grant	49,100	43,846	551	429	566	3,708	5,780
Grays Harbor	65,800	62,705	75	2,251	456	313	823
Island	47,000	42,944	780	417	1,915	944	1,521
Jefferson	16,800	15,995	45	477	131	152	254
King	1,315,800	1,150,078	59,308	12,950	71,123	22,341	31,870
Kitsap	161,600	146,298	3,197	2,288	6,489	3,328	5,333
Kittitas	24,900	24,111	140	211	199	239	317
Klickitat	16,300	15,353	21	488	122	316	526
Lewis	56,000	54,791	81	494	378	256	686
Lincoln	9,600	9,414	4	135	25	22	74
Mason	33,600	31,497	147	1,150	346	460	609
Okanogan	31,500	27,469	32	3,369	85	545	702
Pacific	17,600	16,951	35	363	126	125	176
Pend Oreille	8,900	8,626	7	202	22	43	114
Pierce	507,000	438,779	32,049	6,229	18,227	11,716	15,490
San Juan	8,700	8,485	10	63	54	88	79
Skagit	66,100	62,554	97	1,196	425	1,828	2,352
Skamania	7,800	7,640	7	92	26	35	77
Snohomish	360,900	341,159	2,549	4,621	7,601	4,970	7,403
Spokane	348,000	331,253	4,471	4,330	4,846	3,100	5,209
Stevens	29,700	27,759	28	1,573	115	225	351
Thurston	133,500	123,904	1,190	1,928	4,125	2,353	3,580
Wahkiakum	3,700	3,600	0	51	14	35	69
Walla Walla	48,200	44,501	741	322	468	2,168	2,755
Whatcom	112,100	105,136	362	3,539	1,121	1,942	2,586
Whitman	39,900	37,476	552	251	1,217	404	609
Yakima	177,000	144,486	1,649	6,809	1,382	22,674	27,551

NOTE: Estimates for racial and Spanish Origin categories are variable because of the small numbers involved. Caution is advised in interpreting 1980-83 change for categories of less than 500 persons.

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2. Spanish Origin is not a racial category: it may be viewed as an ancestry group. Persons of Spanish Origin may be of any race and are counted in the racial categories shown. In 1980, 44.4% of persons indicating Spanish Origin identified themselves as being racially White, 1.3% Black, 2.3% Indian, 4.4% Asian, and 47.6% selected the Other races category.
3. 1983 estimates of the Spanish Origin population were developed from the 1983 population estimates by race. The 1980 ratio of Spanish Origin persons in each racial category was applied to the 1983 estimates by race to derive an estimate of the total Spanish Origin Population.

TABLE 11

1984 POPULATION ESTIMATES BY THE BUREAU OF THE CENSUS RACIAL CATEGORIES AND FOR THE SPANISH ORIGIN POPULATION BY COUNTY

	Total	White	Black	Indian	Asian & Pac. Is.	Other	Spanish Origin
WASHINGTON	4,328,100	3,913,656	115,054	64,813	131,750	102,827	143,366
Adams	13,700	11,451	38	62	75	2,074	3,247
Asotin	16,900	16,577	20	168	65	70	165
Benton	107,700	102,182	826	756	1,553	2,383	4,138
Chelan	47,500	45,673	52	392	262	1,121	1,719
Clallam	52,900	49,727	121	2,195	486	371	714
Clark	201,700	192,548	1,855	1,653	3,133	2,511	3,894
Columbia	4,100	3,971	0	30	20	79	118
Cowlitz	79,900	77,345	190	965	838	562	1,082
Douglas	22,600	21,928	21	183	104	364	702
Ferry	6,100	4,971	35	1,044	8	42	72
Franklin	36,300	30,997	1,504	241	460	3,098	5,706
Garfield	2,500	2,483	0	2	10	5	7
Grant	49,500	44,048	558	433	576	3,885	5,933
Grays Harbor	65,100	62,106	73	2,208	435	278	783
Island	47,800	43,534	808	428	1,996	1,034	1,608
Jefferson	17,000	16,167	46	487	136	164	266
King	1,326,600	1,157,051	60,314	13,082	72,607	23,546	32,900
Kitsap	162,500	146,975	3,232	2,306	6,569	3,418	5,427
Kittitas	25,000	24,202	141	212	201	244	321
Klickitat	16,500	15,517	21	496	126	340	550
Lewis	56,600	55,350	83	502	389	276	712
Lincoln	9,800	9,607	4	138	26	25	82
Mason	34,800	32,504	157	1,220	389	530	675
Okanogan	31,900	27,767	33	3,432	88	580	725
Pacific	17,700	17,047	35	365	127	126	177
Pend Oreille	9,100	8,813	7	208	23	49	121
Pierce	514,600	443,516	32,996	6,360	18,919	12,809	16,427
San Juan	8,900	8,668	10	65	58	99	83
Skagit	66,800	63,074	99	1,216	441	1,970	2,434
Skamania	7,900	7,738	7	93	26	36	78
Snohomish	366,700	345,939	2,642	4,744	7,929	5,446	7,847
Spokane	349,400	332,399	4,508	4,361	4,924	3,208	5,309
Stevens	30,100	28,088	29	1,612	121	250	368
Thurston	136,200	126,014	1,242	1,990	4,336	2,618	3,829
Wahkiakum	3,800	3,698	0	52	14	36	71
Walla Walla	48,500	44,715	749	325	474	2,237	2,806
Whatcom	113,700	106,393	372	3,624	1,179	2,132	2,723
Whitman	39,700	37,321	547	249	1,196	387	596
Yakima	180,000	145,552	1,679	6,914	1,431	24,424	28,951

NOTE: Estimates for racial and Spanish Origin categories are variable because of the small numbers involved. Caution is advised in interpreting 1980-84 change for categories of less than 500 persons.

1. The Other racial category is a count of persons who marked Other Race on the 1980 census questionnaire and wrote in entries such as Cuban, Puerto Rican, Mexican, etc. They represent persons who when given an opportunity to identify themselves in a racial category did not select White (or any other category), but specifically identified themselves as Cuban, Puerto Rican, Mexican, etc. In 1980, this category represented a count of 67,154 persons who considered themselves racially Spanish and 9,402 additional responses that could not be elsewhere classified.
2. Spanish Origin is not a racial category: it may be viewed as an ancestry group. Persons of Spanish Origin may be of any race and are counted in the racial categories shown. In 1980, 44.4% of persons indicating Spanish Origin identified themselves as being racially White, 1.3% Black, 2.3% Indian, 4.4% Asian, and 47.6% selected the Other races category.
3. 1984 estimates of the Spanish Origin population were developed from the 1984 population estimates by race. The 1980 ratio of Spanish Origin persons in each racial category was applied to the 1984 estimates by race to derive an estimate of the total Spanish Origin Population.

TABLE 11

1985 POPULATION ESTIMATES BY THE BUREAU OF THE CENSUS RACIAL CATEGORIES AND FOR THE SPANISH ORIGIN POPULATION BY COUNTY

	Total	White	Black	Indian	Asian & Pac. Is.	Other	Spanish Origin
WASHINGTON	4,384,100	3,954,213	117,890	65,934	136,644	109,419	149,186
Adams	13,800	11,505	38	62	76	2,119	3,299
Asotin	17,000	16,672	20	170	66	72	168
Benton	105,200	100,275	795	732	1,444	1,954	3,792
Chelan	48,500	46,473	54	407	282	1,284	1,820
Clallam	52,600	49,445	120	2,183	483	369	710
Clark	203,400	193,955	1,888	1,679	3,227	2,651	4,005
Columbia	4,100	3,971	0	30	20	79	118
Cowlitz	79,600	77,060	189	961	834	556	1,066
Douglas	22,900	22,184	22	187	108	399	737
Ferry	6,100	4,971	35	1,044	8	42	72
Franklin	35,700	30,486	1,479	237	452	3,046	5,611
Garfield	2,500	2,483	0	2	10	5	7
Grant	49,900	44,271	564	437	585	4,043	6,074
Grays Harbor	63,900	61,079	70	2,134	401	216	713
Island	49,200	44,628	845	448	2,125	1,154	1,742
Jefferson	17,500	16,605	48	512	146	189	292
King	1,346,400	1,170,843	61,682	13,375	75,178	25,322	34,575
Kitsap	167,800	151,128	3,386	2,418	6,999	3,869	5,918
Kittitas	25,000	24,202	141	212	201	244	321
Klickitat	16,700	15,681	21	504	130	364	570
Lewis	56,500	55,252	83	501	388	276	711
Lincoln	9,700	9,508	4	137	26	25	78
Mason	34,800	32,504	157	1,220	389	530	675
Okanogan	31,700	27,594	33	3,410	87	576	720
Pacific	17,500	16,853	35	361	126	125	175
Pend Oreille	9,100	8,813	7	208	23	49	121
Pierce	524,900	450,639	33,998	6,550	19,731	13,982	17,530
San Juan	8,900	8,668	10	65	58	99	83
Skagit	68,200	64,126	103	1,257	473	2,241	2,577
Skamania	7,900	7,738	7	93	26	36	78
Snohomish	373,000	351,275	2,717	4,880	8,248	5,880	8,275
Spokane	354,300	336,409	4,638	4,469	5,199	3,585	5,622
Stevens	30,100	28,088	29	1,612	121	250	368
Thurston	139,500	128,712	1,290	2,067	4,569	2,862	4,098
Wahkiakum	3,700	3,610	0	50	13	27	63
Walla Walla	48,400	44,624	747	324	473	2,232	2,800
Whatcom	116,000	108,198	387	3,747	1,262	2,406	2,895
Whitman	39,600	37,244	544	248	1,185	379	590
Yakima	182,500	146,441	1,704	7,001	1,472	25,882	30,117

NOTE: Estimates for racial and Spanish Origin categories are variable because of the small numbers involved. Caution is advised in interpreting 1980-85 change for categories of less than 500 persons.

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2. Spanish Origin is not a racial category: it may be viewed as an ancestry group. Persons of Spanish Origin may be of any race and are counted in the racial categories shown. In 1980, 44.4% of persons indicating Spanish Origin identified themselves as being racially White, 1.3% Black, 2.3% Indian, 4.4% Asian, and 47.6% selected the Other races category.
3. 1985 estimates of the Spanish Origin population were developed from the 1985 population estimates by race. The 1980 ratio of Spanish Origin persons in each racial category was applied to the 1985 estimates by race to derive an estimate of the total Spanish Origin Population.

TABLE 11

1986 POPULATION ESTIMATES BY THE BUREAU OF THE CENSUS RACIAL CATEGORIES AND FOR THE SPANISH ORIGIN POPULATION BY COUNTY

	Total	White	Black	Indian	Asian & Pac. Is.	Other	Spanish Origin
WASHINGTON	4,419,700	3,975,294	119,942	66,962	142,294	115,208	154,152
Adams	13,900	11,551	38	62	77	2,172	3,351
Asotin	17,000	16,672	20	170	66	72	168
Benton	104,000	99,361	780	720	1,391	1,748	3,626
Chelan	48,900	46,813	55	411	287	1,334	1,874
Clallam	52,900	49,683	121	2,212	496	388	729
Clark	205,000	195,271	1,920	1,704	3,319	2,786	4,147
Columbia	4,100	3,971	0	30	20	79	118
Cowlitz	78,900	76,416	186	946	816	536	1,029
Douglas	23,300	22,497	23	195	118	467	799
Ferry	6,100	4,971	35	1,044	8	42	72
Franklin	35,300	30,145	1,462	234	447	3,012	5,548
Garfield	2,500	2,483	0	2	10	5	7
Grant	50,500	44,534	573	445	607	4,341	6,333
Grays Harbor	63,000	60,308	68	2,079	374	171	661
Island	50,600	45,638	886	467	2,297	1,312	1,925
Jefferson	17,900	16,930	50	541	161	218	320
King	1,361,700	1,179,073	62,877	13,749	78,600	27,401	36,328
Kitsap	164,500	148,157	3,319	2,370	6,861	3,793	5,802
Kittitas	25,000	24,202	141	212	201	244	321
Klickitat	16,600	15,587	21	501	129	362	566
Lewis	56,800	55,522	84	507	398	289	727
Lincoln	9,700	9,508	4	137	26	25	78
Mason	35,400	32,994	162	1,255	411	578	716
Okanogan	31,600	27,507	33	3,399	87	574	718
Pacific	17,200	16,564	34	355	124	123	172
Pend Oreille	9,000	8,716	7	206	23	48	120
Pierce	530,800	453,699	34,639	6,727	20,663	15,072	18,398
San Juan	8,900	8,668	10	65	58	99	83
Skagit	69,000	64,720	105	1,280	492	2,403	2,691
Skamania	7,800	7,642	7	92	25	34	75
Snohomish	381,600	357,859	2,842	5,145	9,026	6,728	9,064
Spokane	355,900	337,718	4,681	4,504	5,289	3,708	5,757
Stevens	30,200	28,170	29	1,622	123	256	373
Thurston	142,200	130,782	1,334	2,131	4,826	3,127	4,398
Wahkiakum	3,600	3,523	0	48	11	18	56
Walla Walla	48,500	44,691	749	325	476	2,259	2,820
Whatcom	116,700	108,749	391	3,784	1,287	2,489	2,968
Whitman	39,500	37,167	541	247	1,174	371	584
Yakima	183,600	146,832	1,715	7,039	1,490	26,524	30,630

NOTE: Estimates for racial and Spanish Origin categories are variable because of the small numbers involved. Caution is advised in interpreting 1980-86 change for categories of less than 500 persons.

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3. 1986 estimates of the Spanish Origin population were developed from the 1986 population estimates by race. The 1980 ratio of Spanish Origin persons in each racial category was applied to the 1986 estimates by race to derive an estimate of the total Spanish Origin Population.

TABLE 11

1987 POPULATION ESTIMATES BY THE BUREAU OF THE CENSUS RACIAL CATEGORIES AND FOR THE SPANISH ORIGIN POPULATION BY COUNTY

	Total	White	Black	Indian	Asian & Pac. Is.	Other	Spanish Origin
WASHINGTON	4,481,100	4,020,103	123,131	68,230	147,961	121,675	159,504
Adams	14,000	11,593	38	64	78	2,227	3,386
Asotin	17,200	16,861	21	173	68	77	174
Benton	104,100	99,452	781	722	1,393	1,752	3,629
Chelan	48,700	46,626	55	409	287	1,323	1,865
Clallam	53,400	50,115	122	2,245	509	409	753
Clark	209,900	199,387	2,010	1,773	3,550	3,180	4,394
Columbia	4,100	3,971	0	30	20	79	118
Cowlitz	79,200	76,669	189	956	834	552	1,045
Douglas	23,500	22,657	23	197	122	501	832
Ferry	6,000	4,881	34	1,037	7	41	71
Franklin	35,500	30,229	1,476	237	454	3,104	5,640
Garfield	2,400	2,385	0	2	9	4	5
Grant	52,100	45,461	594	460	643	4,942	6,868
Grays Harbor	63,000	60,308	68	2,079	374	171	661
Island	52,100	46,855	915	492	2,387	1,451	2,065
Jefferson	18,100	17,099	52	551	166	232	335
King	1,384,600	1,193,680	64,806	14,111	82,411	29,592	37,847
Kitsap	168,600	151,147	3,454	2,508	7,206	4,285	6,303
Kittitas	25,100	24,285	142	214	205	254	328
Klickitat	16,500	15,487	21	501	129	362	566
Lewis	57,100	55,794	85	512	408	301	743
Lincoln	9,700	9,508	4	137	26	25	78
Mason	36,000	33,485	168	1,290	432	625	751
Okanogan	31,600	27,507	33	3,399	87	574	718
Pacific	17,300	16,655	35	359	125	126	175
Pend Oreille	8,900	8,616	7	206	23	48	120
Pierce	538,000	458,285	35,437	6,865	21,293	16,120	19,231
San Juan	9,200	8,940	11	69	64	116	93
Skagit	69,500	65,092	107	1,295	503	2,503	2,761
Skamania	7,800	7,642	7	92	25	34	75
Snohomish	393,600	368,488	2,966	5,391	9,357	7,398	9,708
Spokane	355,900	337,718	4,681	4,504	5,289	3,708	5,757
Stevens	30,200	28,170	29	1,622	123	256	373
Thurston	145,500	133,602	1,368	2,230	4,937	3,363	4,630
Wahkiakum	3,600	3,523	0	48	11	18	56
Walla Walla	48,300	44,586	744	323	466	2,181	2,766
Whatcom	117,200	109,138	395	3,812	1,305	2,550	3,017
Whitman	39,200	36,934	535	244	1,143	344	564
Yakima	184,400	147,272	1,718	7,071	1,492	26,847	31,003

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TABLE 11

1988 POPULATION ESTIMATES BY THE BUREAU OF THE CENSUS RACIAL CATEGORIES AND FOR THE SPANISH ORIGIN POPULATION BY COUNTY

	Total	White	Black	Indian	Asian & Pac. Is.	Other	Spanish Origin
WASHINGTON	4,565,000	4,083,002	127,142	69,754	155,935	129,167	166,486
Adams	14,000	11,593	38	64	78	2,227	3,386
Asotin	17,400	17,052	21	176	70	81	180
Benton	104,100	99,452	781	722	1,393	1,752	3,629
Chelan	49,700	47,484	57	421	300	1,438	1,972
Clallam	54,400	50,995	126	2,306	530	443	794
Clark	214,500	203,383	2,088	1,828	3,720	3,481	4,671
Columbia	4,100	3,971	0	30	20	79	118
Cowlitz	80,500	77,868	195	979	865	593	1,095
Douglas	24,100	23,187	24	204	129	556	892
Ferry	6,100	4,953	35	1,061	7	44	74
Franklin	35,500	30,229	1,476	237	454	3,104	5,640
Garfield	2,400	2,385	0	2	9	4	5
Grant	52,600	45,775	602	465	654	5,104	7,025
Grays Harbor	63,400	60,677	69	2,099	379	176	673
Island	53,400	47,838	952	508	2,507	1,595	2,208
Jefferson	18,600	17,536	55	573	176	260	362
King	1,413,900	1,213,798	67,052	14,450	87,039	31,561	39,763
Kitsap	177,300	157,750	3,744	2,679	7,958	5,169	7,212
Kittitas	25,000	24,189	141	213	204	253	327
Klickitat	16,600	15,572	21	505	131	371	576
Lewis	57,400	56,077	86	516	413	308	754
Lincoln	9,700	9,508	4	137	26	25	78
Mason	36,800	34,158	175	1,330	453	684	799
Okanogan	31,700	27,583	33	3,414	88	582	725
Pacific	17,600	16,930	36	368	130	136	184
Pend Oreille	8,800	8,519	7	204	23	47	119
Pierce	547,700	464,861	36,484	7,006	22,314	17,035	20,052
San Juan	9,600	9,307	12	73	70	138	105
Skagit	70,800	66,145	110	1,328	522	2,695	2,905
Skamania	8,000	7,833	7	96	26	38	81
Snohomish	409,500	381,805	3,172	5,695	10,166	8,662	10,830
Spokane	354,100	336,011	4,657	4,481	5,262	3,689	5,728
Stevens	30,200	28,170	29	1,622	123	256	373
Thurston	149,300	136,634	1,428	2,309	5,205	3,724	4,971
Wahkiakum	3,500	3,425	0	47	11	17	54
Walla Walla	48,300	44,586	744	323	466	2,181	2,766
Whatcom	119,100	110,721	406	3,898	1,350	2,725	3,157
Whitman	39,000	36,746	532	243	1,137	342	561
Yakima	186,300	148,296	1,743	7,142	1,527	27,592	31,642

NOTE: Estimates for racial and Spanish Origin categories are variable because of the small numbers involved. Caution is advised in interpreting 1980-88 change for categories of less than 500 persons.

1. The Other racial category is a count of persons who marked Other Race on the 1980 census questionnaire and wrote in entries such as Cuban, Puerto Rican, Mexican, etc. They represent persons who when given an opportunity to identify themselves in a racial category did not select White (or any other category), but specifically identified themselves as Cuban, Puerto Rican, Mexican, etc. In 1980, this category represented a count of 67,154 persons who considered themselves racially Spanish and 9,402 additional responses that could not be elsewhere classified.
2. Spanish Origin is not a racial category: it may be viewed as an ancestry group. Persons of Spanish Origin may be of any race and are counted in the racial categories shown. In 1980, 44.4% of persons indicating Spanish Origin identified themselves as being racially White, 1.3% Black, 2.3% Indian, 4.4% Asian, and 47.6% selected the Other races category.
3. 1988 estimates of the Spanish Origin population were developed from the 1988 population estimates by race. The 1980 ratio of Spanish Origin persons in each racial category was applied to the 1988 estimates by race to derive an estimate of the total Spanish Origin Population.

Selected Resident Institutional Population

The 1988 populations shown for Washington's counties and incorporated cities and towns in Table 1 include approximately 114,000 persons living in group quarters facilities. Of this total, 10,948 reside in state and federal correctional institutions, long term care facilities for the mentally or physically disabled and veteran homes. Counts of the resident population in institutions that are under state or federal jurisdictions are relatively easy to obtain and often identify a major source of population change for local governments.

The 1988 population of Buckley, in Pierce County, includes 561 residents at Rainier School. The school's population represents 18 percent of Buckley's 3,040 city residents. A decline of 217 residents at Rainier School since 1980 has contributed to a decline in Buckley's population.

The institutional figures shown for Mason county in Table 12 represent a count of the resident inmates at the Washington Corrections Center at Shelton and the Mission Creek Youth Camp. The inmate population at the Corrections Center remained relatively stable from 1970 to 1979, ranging from about 600 to 700 residents. Due to an expansion of the facility, the inmate population increased from 776 in 1980 to 1,584 by 1984. This increase accounted for 22 percent of Mason County's population growth over the 1980 to 1984 period.

The 1988 institutional population of 1,226 shown for Spokane County in Table 12 includes 245 persons in correctional facilities in the unincorporated area and 881 persons in three long-term care facilities located within the corporate limits of Medical Lake. Patients at Eastern State Hospital and persons with developmental disabilities living at Interlake School and Lakeland Village represent 23 percent of Medical Lake's total 3,760 residents. The institutional population in these three facilities represented over 50 percent of Medical Lake's population at the start of the 1970s, but declined by over 1,000 through the decade.

The selected institutional populations shown in Table 12 represent approximately ten percent of the state's total group quarters population. Other group quarters populations that are a source of local area population change include homes for the aged, college dormitory populations, and military personnel living in barracks and on ships.

TABLE 12A

Institutional Resident Population for Counties and the State of Washington April 1, 1970 - 1979

	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979
Washington	13039	12148	11337	10247	9063	9546	10475	10571	10341	9866
Adams										
Asotin										
Benton	17	11	10	14						
Chelan										
Clallam	71	54	65	43	75	90	102			
Clark	549	527	451	439	415	437	464	464	449	428
Columbia										
Cowlitz										
Douglas	11	9	13	7	7	8	11	14	10	12
Ferry										
Franklin										
Garfield										
Grant	11	9	10	7	9	16	12	11	8	10
Grays Harbor										
Island										
Jefferson	140	88								
King	996	869	772	636	625	666	690	718	677	629
Kitsap	450	417	391	390	286	352	326	356	367	347
Kittitas										
Klickitat										
Lewis	315	314	271	236	197	276	293	256	232	205
Lincoln										
Mason	693	676	708	675	703	731	772	784	635	750
Okanogan										
Pacific	109	117	98	113	112	131	143	115	97	89
Pend Oreille										
Pierce	4571	4289	4156	3895	3494	3412	3863	3715	3636	3087
San Juan										
Skagit	687	654	659	303						
Skamania										
Snohomish	745	737	687	682	673	736	834	927	988	1136
Spokane	2008	1784	1675	1560	1383	1346	1316	1210	1192	1139
Stevens	57	52	38	48						
Thurston	76	71	57	72	79	103	121	103	99	58
Wahkiakum										
Walla Walla	1351	1304	1118	989	933	1183	1464	1664	1701	1710
Whatcom										
Whitman										
Yakima	199	177	168	152	147	149	149	148	150	150

TABLE 12B

Institutional Resident Population for Counties and the State of Washington April 1, 1980 - 1988

	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988
Washington	9351	8791	9834	10706	11431	11501	11353	11089	10948
Adams									
Asotin									
Benton	12	15	14	17	16	14	12	13	15
Chelan									
Clallam	105	138	193	232	261	243	229	337	670
Clark	412	371	365	404	413	382	374	367	321
Columbia									
Cowlitz									
Douglas	14	14	15	16	12	15	12	15	15
Ferry									
Franklin									
Garfield									
Grant	12	11	16	16	11	16	13	16	15
Grays Harbor									
Island									
Jefferson									
King	675	742	761	747	723	730	694	671	666
Kitsap	354	363	356	373	372	386	388	386	381
Kittitas									
Klickitat									
Lewis	289	311	323	261	256	269	251	228	237
Lincoln									
Mason	830	974	1045	1160	1638	1339	1398	1294	1264
Okanogan									
Pacific	107	92	107	101	96	93	98	97	105
Pend Oreille									
Pierce	2547	2004	2450	2842	3073	3120	3129	2971	2816
San Juan									
Skagit	91	121	119	126	117	113	121	127	149
Skamania									
Snohomish	1081	1059	1161	1151	1229	1595	1626	1500	1465
Spokane	1159	1159	1116	1145	1200	1273	1215	1222	1126
Stevens									
Thurston	76	90	88	122	121	126	120	119	122
Wahkiakum									
Walla Walla	1439	1175	1544	1831	1730	1625	1518	1563	1418
Whatcom									
Whitman									
Yakima	148	152	161	162	163	162	155	163	163

Resident Armed Forces Personnel

The 1988 estimate of resident armed forces personnel for the state of Washington is 63,865. Most of the fluctuations in the estimates are due to changes in the number of ships being overhauled at the Puget Sound Naval Shipyard in Bremerton. The shipboard personnel count at the shipyard was 1,730 in 1980, over 4,000 in both 1981 and 1985 and only 372 in 1987. The count increased to 3,463 in 1988 due to the arrival of the Nimitz. Due to increases in more permanent military personnel since 1980, the state's armed forces total does not drop below 59,000, even when the counts of shipboard population at Bremerton are minimal.

Table 13 provides federal census counts and estimates of the resident armed forces population by county. Resident armed forces personnel are included in the resident population counts and estimates for the state, counties and local governments. These annual estimates provide a basis for determining civilian labor force figures, civilian population movement and other information for the civilian population that is lumped together with large military populations.

The importance of the military population in the state can be derived from data collected in the early 1970s. Washington recorded a net outmigration of 28,700 persons between 1971 and 1972. Figure 2 shows that the level of outmigration was high enough to cause the state's population to decline. The decline is usually attributed to the sharp reduction in aerospace employment at Boeing. Actually, a troop reduction of over 15,000 at Fort Lewis accounted for over one-half of the state's net outmigration during this period. It took more than a decade for the number of armed forces personnel to again reach 1970 and 1971 levels.

Changes in the armed forces population often cause noticeable changes in local area populations. This is particularly true for naval port cities that are subject to large differences in shipboard populations. The sharp variation in the population estimates for Bremerton and Kitsap County in Table 1, and in the armed forces counts for Kitsap County in Table 13, reflects changes in the number of ships and naval personnel at the Puget Sound Shipyard. Specific rules established by the Bureau of the Census are used to determine where large transient military populations are counted.

Estimates of the armed forces personnel by county are developed from federal census data, station strength counts published by the United States Department of Defense and information provided by the major military installations in Washington.

Armed forces figures represent persons on active duty with the United States Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corp or Coast Guard. The figures include personnel residing on base, in military housing, barracks and other group quarters, including ships. Personnel who live outside the military reservations are also included. The dependents of military personnel are excluded from the tabulations.

Large differences exist in the number of armed forces population by state. In 1980, California ranked first with a count of 263,413, followed by Texas at 148,608 and Virginia at 140,721. Washington ranked ninth with 53,268 and Vermont ranked last with only 274.

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TABLE 13A

Resident Armed Forces Personnel for Counties and the State of Washington April 1, 1970 - 1979

	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979
State Total	60485	62005	46660	45930	50425	55335	56615	57650	54570	53075
Adams	55	50	45	40	30	25	20	15	5	0
Asotin	6	5	5	5	5	5	0	0	0	0
Benton	28	30	30	35	40	40	40	45	45	50
Chelan	25	25	25	20	20	20	15	15	15	15
Clallam	392	560	560	550	540	520	360	320	360	340
Clark	200	220	240	260	280	295	315	335	355	370
Columbia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cowlitz	63	60	55	50	45	40	35	30	25	25
Douglas	4	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	10
Ferry	0	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
Franklin	144	120	110	150	140	30	30	10	10	10
Garfield	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Grant	76	75	65	60	50	40	40	35	30	20
Grays Harbor	210	240	240	250	230	210	210	210	230	210
Island	3957	4300	4860	5510	5470	5520	5380	5820	5510	5310
Jefferson	13	15	20	25	30	35	35	40	45	50
King	3746	3120	3120	3120	3330	3020	2970	3060	3170	3980
Kitsap	5254	2830	2750	3360	3790	8870	9260	11000	8010	8690
Kittitas	14	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	20	20
Klickitat	31	30	30	25	20	20	20	15	15	10
Lewis	23	20	20	20	20	15	15	15	10	10
Lincoln	6	5	5	5	10	5	10	10	10	10
Mason	20	25	30	40	45	50	55	60	65	70
Okanogan	23	20	20	20	20	20	15	15	15	15
Pacific	71	70	70	70	75	75	75	70	65	60
Pend Oreille	4	5	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pierce	39519	43635	27955	26175	29690	30045	31190	29920	29575	27420
San Juan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Skagit	209	200	190	180	170	160	145	135	125	115
Skamania	9	10	10	10	10	5	5	5	5	5
Snohomish	506	520	580	660	660	660	660	760	720	720
Spokane	4620	4380	4550	4200	4500	4360	4330	4280	4650	4150
Stevens	0	5	5	10	15	15	20	25	25	30
Thurston	537	725	545	585	750	845	970	1020	1095	1100
Wahkiakum	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Walla Walla	172	135	100	100	50	20	20	20	20	20
Whatcom	308	320	170	130	140	130	130	120	120	20
Whitman	65	60	55	50	45	40	35	30	25	20
Yakima	175	165	170	185	180	175	185	190	190	195

Note: Armed Forces personnel reflects resident military personnel as defined by the U.S. Bureau of the Census. Annual estimates are developed on the basis of July 1 station strength counts by the Department of Defense and information provided by military installations in Washington. Sharp variations in the figures for Kitsap County reflect changes in the number of ships and naval personnel at the Puget Sound Naval Shipyard.

TABLE 13B

Resident Armed Forces Personnel for Counties and the State of Washington April 1, 1980 - 1988

	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988
State Total	53268	58825	55645	58920	59650	61400	60080	59715	63865
Adams	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asotin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Benton	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50
Chelan	12	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Clallam	435	570	440	440	445	445	445	445	445
Clark	387	385	385	385	395	395	395	395	395
Columbia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cowlitz	19	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20
Douglas	8	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Ferry	7	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
Franklin	6	5	10	10	15	10	10	10	10
Garfield	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Grant	15	15	15	15	20	20	20	20	20
Grays Harbor	161	150	160	160	165	185	185	180	170
Island	5500	5500	5160	5415	5600	5920	6390	6345	6685
Jefferson	53	55	55	55	55	50	50	50	50
King	4992	5465	4965	5260	5175	4985	5090	5230	5295
Kitsap	7998	10765	10220	11510	10680	12535	9970	10720	14410
Kittitas	19	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20
Klickitat	9	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Lewis	9	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Lincoln	9	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Mason	78	80	80	80	80	80	80	80	80
Okanogan	13	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15
Pacific	62	60	60	60	65	65	65	65	65
Pend Oreille	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pierce	26949	29050	27560	28935	30290	29965	30705	29285	29265
San Juan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Skagit	106	105	105	105	105	105	105	105	105
Skamania	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Snohomish	755	695	700	700	710	705	705	705	705
Spokane	4170	4230	4100	4100	4100	4200	4100	4375	4460
Stevens	34	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	35
Thurston	1155	1245	1180	1240	1295	1285	1315	1255	1255
Wahkiakum	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Walla Walla	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20
Whatcom	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20
Whitman	16	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15
Yakima	199	200	200	200	205	200	200	200	200

Note: Armed Forces personnel reflects resident military personnel as defined by the U.S. Bureau of the Census. Annual estimates are developed on the basis of July 1 station strength counts by the Department of Defense and information provided by military installations in Washington. Sharp variations in the figures for Kitsap County reflect changes in the number of ships and naval personnel at the Puget Sound Naval Shipyard.

Components of Population Change

Births, deaths, inmigration and outmigration are the four components of population change. The excess of births over deaths is called natural increase. The excess of inmigration over outmigration is called net migration. These factors all operate on the population in an age selective fashion. Table 14 summarizes the trends in population change from 1910 to 1988.

Fertility

The number of births reached its all time low of 20,882 in 1933. This event was the turning point of a long time decline in the number of annual births and in the number of births the average woman would have during her child-bearing years. Women were averaging only 1.6 births at the depth of the Depression.

The economy recovered, the war ended and the baby boom began. By the mid-1940s the annual number of births had more than doubled and women were averaging three babies during their child-bearing years. The boom peaked in 1957 when calendar year births exceeded 65,900. At that time women were averaging greater than 3.7 births.

The women born at the beginning of the baby boom reached maturity in the mid-1960s. The expected new wave of large birth cohorts did not materialize. Both the number of births and the average number of births per woman began a decade long decline that has been referred to as the baby bust. In 1972 the annual number of births fell below 50,000 for the first time in 25 years. In 1975, the average number of births per woman, 1.7, approached the 1933 low.

In 1982 the state recorded more than 70,000 resident births. However, the average number of births per woman was only slightly above the 1975 level. The women born in the late 1940s and early 1950s were finally having children. This phenomena is known as the echo effect.

Increased female labor force participation, an increase in the age at first marriage, an increase in the divorce rate and an increase in female educational attainment are the primary factors explaining an increase to only 1.8 births per woman.

Mortality

In the 1920s the average annual number of deaths was approximately 15,000 persons. The state reached the level of 30,000 annual deaths for the first time in 1968.

Life expectancy at birth is an important driver of death statistics. In the 1920s the life expectancy for males was 58 years and for females 60 years. Nearly 10 percent of the deaths in the 1920s were infants. At that time there were 56 deaths for every 1,000 live births. By 1960, life expectancy had increased to 68 years for males and to 75 years for females. The improvement in the number of infant deaths was remarkable, only 23 of every 1,000 live births. In 1980 life expectancy was 72 years for males and 79 years for females. Infant deaths were less than 3 percent of total deaths, a rate of 12 for every 1,000 births.

Net Migration

Migration is the most difficult component of population change to gauge. For the most part, migration reflects population movement induced by economic opportunities. While some selected streams may consist of elderly retired persons or refugees, whose movement is unrelated to employment opportunities, the bulk of interstate movers are young adults responding to positive or negative job opportunities.

Population gains or losses involving young adults in family formation serve to increase or decrease the pool of potential parents in a given population. This has a direct impact on fertility levels.

Historically, Washington has exhibited a cyclical pattern of migration associated with expansions and contractions in the state's economy. Net migration gains during rapid economic expansion periods have usually far exceeded prior population losses.

The increasing prominence of nonmanufacturing employment in the state, relative to manufacturing employment, is expected to produce slower but more stable employment growth. This growth may be slower than the state experienced in previous years. Yet, the cumulative impact is substantial as migration continues to play a major role in state growth.

TABLE 14

Components of Population Change for the State of Washington April 1, 1910-1988

	April 1 Population	Population Change Number	Change Percent	Components of Change From Previous Period: Births Number	Births Rate	Deaths Number	Deaths Rate	Natural Increase	Net Migration Number	Net Migration Rate
TEN YEAR INTERVALS										
1910	1,141.9			19.9		11.5		8.4		
1920	1,356.9	215.0	18.8	227.7	182.2	122.4	98.0	105.3	109.7	87.8
1930	1,563.0	206.1	15.2	248.2	170.0	151.1	103.5	97.1	109.0	74.7
1940	1,736.2	173.2	11.1	233.6	141.6	176.9	107.2	56.7	116.5	70.6
1950	2,379.0	642.8	37.0	452.5	219.9	211.6	102.8	240.9	401.9	195.3
1960	2,853.2	474.2	19.9	625.9	239.2	241.9	92.5	384.0	90.2	34.5
1970	3,413.2	560.0	19.6	588.5	187.8	283.0	90.3	305.5	254.5	81.2
1980	4,132.2	719.0	21.1	547.6	145.1	302.1	80.1	245.5	473.5	125.5
SINGLE YEARS										
1950	2,379.0									
1951	2,424.0	45.0	1.9	56.0	23.3	22.8	9.5	33.2	11.8	4.9
1952	2,448.0	24.0	1.0	58.4	24.0	22.8	9.4	35.6	-11.6	-4.8
1953	2,466.0	18.0	0.7	61.9	25.2	23.2	9.4	38.7	-20.7	-8.4
1954	2,516.0	50.0	2.0	61.8	24.8	23.1	9.3	38.7	11.3	4.5
1955	2,604.0	88.0	3.5	62.5	24.4	23.5	9.2	39.0	49.0	19.1
1956	2,668.0	64.0	2.5	62.7	23.8	24.4	9.3	38.3	25.7	9.7
1957	2,724.0	56.0	2.1	65.1	24.1	24.3	9.0	40.8	15.2	5.6
1958	2,773.0	49.0	1.8	66.6	24.2	25.3	9.2	41.3	7.7	2.8
1959	2,821.0	48.0	1.7	65.2	23.3	25.6	9.2	39.6	8.4	3.0
1960	2,853.2	32.2	1.1	65.7	23.2	26.9	9.5	38.8	-6.6	-2.3
1961	2,897.0	43.8	1.5	65.3	22.7	25.8	9.0	39.5	4.3	1.5
1962	2,948.0	51.0	1.8	65.1	22.3	27.1	9.3	38.0	13.0	4.4
1963	2,972.0	24.0	0.8	63.9	21.6	27.2	9.2	36.7	-12.7	-4.3
1964	3,008.0	36.0	1.2	60.4	20.2	28.1	9.4	32.3	3.7	1.2
1965	3,065.0	57.0	1.9	55.9	18.4	27.3	9.0	28.6	28.4	9.4
1966	3,125.0	60.0	2.0	52.2	16.9	28.1	9.1	24.1	35.9	11.6
1967	3,229.0	104.0	3.3	52.9	16.7	28.8	9.1	24.1	79.9	25.1
1968	3,336.0	107.0	3.3	54.9	16.7	30.1	9.2	24.8	82.2	25.0
1969	3,397.0	61.0	1.8	58.0	17.2	30.6	9.1	27.4	33.6	10.0
1970	3,413.2	16.2	0.5	59.9	17.6	30.0	8.8	29.9	-13.7	-4.0
1971	3,436.3	23.1	0.7	60.0	17.5	29.8	8.7	30.2	-7.1	-2.1
1972	3,430.3	-6.0	-0.2	53.1	15.5	30.4	8.9	22.7	-28.7	-8.4
1973	3,444.3	14.0	0.4	47.7	13.9	30.4	8.8	17.3	-3.3	-1.0
1974	3,508.7	64.4	1.9	48.2	13.9	29.9	8.6	18.3	46.1	13.3
1975	3,567.9	59.2	1.7	50.1	14.2	30.3	8.6	19.8	39.4	11.1
1976	3,634.9	67.0	1.9	51.4	14.3	30.2	8.4	21.2	45.8	12.7
1977	3,715.4	80.5	2.2	54.2	14.7	29.1	7.9	25.1	55.4	15.1
1978	3,836.2	120.8	3.3	57.3	15.2	30.4	8.1	26.9	93.9	24.9
1979	3,979.2	143.0	3.7	60.2	15.4	30.2	7.7	30.0	113.0	28.9
1980	4,132.4	153.2	3.9	65.4	16.1	31.3	7.7	34.1	119.1	29.4
1981	4,226.6	94.2	2.3	68.2	16.3	31.8	7.6	36.4	57.8	13.8
1982	4,264.0	37.4	0.9	70.1	16.5	31.7	7.5	38.4	-1.0	-0.2
1983	4,285.1	21.1	0.5	69.5	16.3	32.5	7.6	37.0	-15.9	-3.7
1984	4,328.1	43.0	1.0	68.5	15.9	33.2	7.7	35.3	7.7	1.8
1985	4,384.1	56.0	1.3	69.1	15.9	34.0	7.8	35.1	20.9	4.8
1986	4,419.7	35.6	0.8	70.2	15.9	34.0	7.7	36.2	-0.6	-0.1
1987	4,481.1	61.4	1.4	69.3	15.6	34.4	7.7	34.9	26.5	6.0
1988	4,565.0	83.9	1.9	70.8	15.7	35.3	7.8	35.5	48.5	10.7

TABLE 15

General Fertility Rate for the State of Washington 1930-1988

	Females 15-44	Live Births [2]	General Fertility Rate [1]
TEN YEAR INTERVALS			
1930	358,525	23,019	64.20
1940	398,246	27,952	70.19
1950	512,005	55,755	108.90
1960	554,814	65,251	117.61
1970	711,655 [3]	59,930	84.21
1980	982,661 [3]	65,370	66.52
SINGLE YEARS			
1961	559,900	65,328	116.68
1962	573,100	65,101	113.59
1963	578,600	63,919	110.47
1964	586,900	60,354	102.84
1965	603,200	55,879	92.64
1966	619,700	52,161	84.17
1967	648,900	52,897	81.52
1968	681,100	54,888	80.59
1969	701,100	58,012	82.74
1970	711,655 [3]	59,930	84.21
1971	722,400	60,031	83.10
1972	725,900	53,096	73.15
1973	738,900	47,697	64.55
1974	765,100	48,159	62.94
1975	790,200	50,127	63.44
1976	818,000	51,398	62.83
1977	848,200	54,193	63.89
1978	889,300	57,281	64.41
1979	934,900	60,214	64.41
1980	982,660 [3]	65,370	66.52
1981	1,011,012	68,153	67.41
1982	1,016,970	70,051	68.88
1983	1,016,196	69,463	68.36
1984	1,027,927	68,477	66.62
1985	1,044,034	69,105	66.19
1986	1,051,832	70,176	66.72
1987	1,064,014	69,278	65.11
1988	1,077,249	70,757 [4]	65.68

Notes:

[1] Births per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44 years.

[2] Calendar year figures for 1930 to 1960, April-to-April figures for 1961 to present.

[3] Corrected 1970 population from the Census Bureau; actual 1980 census count.

[4] 1988 births are estimated.

TABLE 16

Marriages and Divorces/Dissolutions for the State of Washington 1950-1987

	April 1 Population [1]	Marriages [2]	Marriage Rate [3]	Divorce Dissolutions [2]	Divorce Rate [3]
TEN YEAR INTERVALS					
1950	2,378,963	34,438 [5]	14.48	11,197	4.71
1960	2,853,214	28,230	9.89	9,146	3.21
1970	3,413,244	41,310	12.10	17,881	5.24
1980	4,132,353	47,728	11.55	28,648	6.93
SINGLE YEARS					
1951	2,424,000	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
1952	2,448,000	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
1953	2,466,000	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
1954	2,516,000	28,780 [5]	11.44	8,247	3.28
1955	2,604,000	18,908	7.26	8,746	3.36
1956	2,668,000	30,113 [5]	11.29	8,602	3.22
1957	2,724,000	28,441 [5]	10.44	8,701	3.19
1958	2,773,000	27,961 [5]	10.08	9,003	3.25
1959	2,821,000	28,556 [5]	10.12	9,341	3.31
1960	2,853,214	28,230	9.89	9,146	3.21
1961	2,897,000	28,247	9.75	9,355	3.23
1962	2,948,000	29,778	10.10	9,829	3.33
1963	2,972,000	29,320	9.87	9,953	3.35
1964	3,008,000	29,777	9.90	10,864	3.61
1965	3,065,000	31,509	10.28	10,651	3.48
1966	3,125,000	34,567	11.06	11,307	3.62
1967	3,229,000	38,477	11.92	12,836	3.98
1968	3,336,000	40,640	12.18	15,806	4.74
1969	3,397,000	40,966	12.06	16,665	4.91
1970	3,413,244	41,310	12.10	17,881	5.24
1971	3,436,300	40,981	11.93	19,019	5.53
1972	3,430,300	41,618	12.13	20,534	5.99
1973	3,444,300	41,359	12.01	21,369	6.20
1974	3,508,700	41,607	11.86	23,756	6.77
1975	3,567,890	41,767	11.71	25,783	7.23
1976	3,634,895	41,943	11.54	27,766	7.64
1977	3,715,375	43,737	11.77	26,483	7.13
1978	3,836,200	45,109	11.76	26,193	6.83
1979	3,979,200	47,086	11.83	27,469	6.90
1980	4,132,353	47,728	11.55	28,648	6.93
1981	4,226,600 [4]	49,973	11.82	29,511	6.98
1982	4,264,000	48,228	11.31	27,980	6.56
1983	4,285,100	46,294	10.80	27,503	6.42
1984	4,328,100	45,080	10.42	27,285	6.30
1985	4,384,100	43,771	9.98	26,512	6.05
1986	4,419,700	43,255	9.79	26,405	5.97
1987	4,481,100	43,503	9.71	27,216	6.07

Notes:

[1] Includes Interim Series of 1970 to 1980 Intercensal Estimates, developed May 1981.

[2] Calendar year figures.

[3] Marriages and divorces per 1,000 population.

[4] Revised 1981 estimate (see Table 2).

[5] Marriage licenses issued; other data reflect marriages performed.

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Estimates and Forecasts for Counties

The 1980 county populations presented in Table 17 are from the federal census. The 1985 figures are estimates that were developed for state revenue sharing purposes. The forecasted populations for 1990, 1995 and 2000 were developed from historical population trends.

The county forecast was prepared in July 1986. The primary factors in the calculation were demographic rather than economic. The current and future social and economic conditions observed at the time of the forecast guided the choice of factors. The controlling assumptions of the forecast are consistent with those published in, Forecasts of the State Population by Age and Sex: 1986-2010, released by the Office of Financial Management (OFM) in December, 1985.

The forecasted county totals were calculated with the assumption that the historical relationship between a county's growth and the state's growth would prevail for the next 15 to 20 years. In some instances the extrapolation of a trend would yield unreasonable results. Therefore, further analysis was undertaken to assess the reasonableness of the projections. This analysis focused on the changing share of the state population implied by the continuation of historical patterns. Some adjustments were made when appropriate. The resulting populations were then controlled to state totals.

The forecast presented here is a top-down forecast. Although the county populations were developed individually, the methodological approach assumed that as a group they would not deviate from the figures calculated in an independent forecast of the state's population. The primary reason for this approach is the known stability and behavior of large numbers in mathematical equations. More intuitively, the growth of the counties occurs in the context of the growth of the state. County borders are permeable. There is an interdependence of growth and development.

The state forecast is based upon a cohort component methodology. The components of population change, births, deaths and net migration, are recorded and projected for age by sex cohorts.

TABLE 17

Estimates and Forecasts of Total Persons for Counties and the State of Washington 1980, 1985, 1990, 1995, 2000

County	1980 Census	1985 Estimate	1990 Forecast	1995 Forecast	2000 Forecast
Adams	13,267	13,801	14,813	15,703	16,755
Asotin	16,823	16,999	17,491	17,906	18,430
Benton	109,444	105,196	108,511	114,972	123,358
Chelan	45,061	48,506	50,972	52,235	54,929
Clallam	51,648	52,607	55,972	58,485	61,479
Clark	192,227	203,400	221,251	238,223	258,067
Columbia	4,057	4,103	3,943	3,965	3,943
Cowlitz	79,548	79,602	80,666	81,525	84,033
Douglas	22,144	22,895	24,843	26,416	28,249
Ferry	5,811	6,101	6,246	6,500	6,804
Franklin	35,025	35,703	38,493	40,503	43,317
Garfield	2,468	2,498	2,401	2,368	2,365
Grant	48,522	49,900	53,712	56,722	60,255
Grays Harbor	66,314	63,905	65,098	65,513	66,017
Island	44,048	49,201	56,931	64,082	70,483
Jefferson	15,965	17,499	18,415	19,747	21,158
King	1,269,749	1,346,379	1,423,602	1,510,670	1,601,704
Kitsap	147,152	167,796	176,173	191,372	210,415
Kittitas	24,877	24,996	24,798	24,855	25,059
Klickitat	15,822	16,696	16,845	17,444	18,388
Lewis	56,025	56,504	57,254	58,096	59,752
Lincoln	9,604	9,701	9,552	9,552	9,618
Mason	31,184	34,802	38,156	42,099	46,840
Okanogan	30,639	31,703	32,542	33,657	35,455
Pacific	17,237	17,500	17,119	16,826	17,868
Pend Oreille	8,580	9,099	9,110	9,268	9,594
Pierce	485,643	524,886	550,482	578,628	618,673
San Juan	7,838	8,900	9,210	9,344	9,990
Skagit	64,138	68,206	71,926	76,447	81,744
Skamania	7,919	7,901	8,062	8,165	8,324
Snohomish	337,720	372,988	418,248	469,523	498,790
Spokane	341,835	354,307	367,137	387,059	399,794
Stevens	28,979	30,095	31,231	32,544	34,111
Thurston	124,264	139,498	153,291	173,272	190,261
Wahikiakum	3,832	3,697	3,505	3,417	3,353
Walla Walla	47,435	48,399	48,497	50,003	52,543
Whatcom	106,701	115,994	123,064	130,224	140,364
Whitman	40,103	39,588	39,834	40,491	40,661
Yakima	172,508	182,515	191,947	203,210	216,429
State Total	4,132,156	4,384,066	4,640,457	4,941,031	5,249,372